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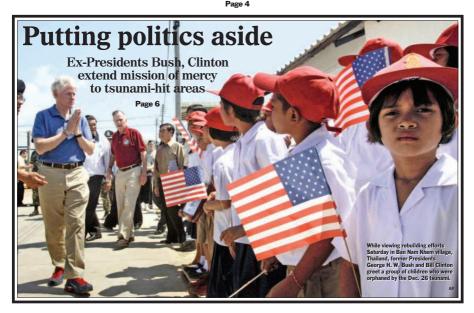
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States

Vt. town secession vote: Only a year after generating a flurry of public-ity for voting to secede and join New Hampshire, residents of Killington, Vt., are being asked to decide on Town Meet-

ing day whether to rethink the idea 'It's been a year, so it seemed like a good time to update people about where we stand and to bring the issue up again in a substantive way," Town Manager David Lewis said.
"It seemed appropriate to tie it in with a vote at Town Meeting to give the voters the ability to say, 'We don't want to go any fur-

Blake murder trial: The defense in Robert Blake's murder trial tried to undermine the testimony of two key prosecution witnesses - both former drug users - by calling on an expert who said chronic drug use can cause hallucinations and paranoid delu-

Regular use of cocaine and methamphet amine also can cause irreversible brain damage, said Ronald Keith Siegel, a psychopharmacologist on the faculty of the University of California, Los Angeles, medical school

Judge's libel case: A judge who said he was misquoted in a series of articles as telling lawyers that a 14-year-old rape victim should "get over it" has won a \$2.1 million libel case against the Boston Herald.

Jurors deliberated for more than 20 hours over five days before finding Friday that the newspaper and reporter David Wedge libeled Judge Ernest B. Murphy. Another renorter Jules Crittenden was cleared

Serial rape suspect: A man believed to be the convicted rapist who slipped away from officers in November after confessing to another assault was captured Friday after attacking a woman and stealing her car, police said

The man was taken into custody in Glenwood Springs, about 150 miles west of Denver, according to Denver Police Chief Gerry Whitman. He was being held on \$25 million bail early Saturday.

Brent J. Brents, 35, is suspected in the sexual assaults on five women and girls earlier this month in Denver - nearly three months after he was questioned by police in Aurora about claims that he inappropriately touched a former girlfriend's 8-year-old

University admissions law: The Universi-



JIM SCHULZ/Stars and Strines

All smiles: Girl Scouts pile in a picture booth in the Shibuya area of Tokyo while enjoying a "Girls Night Out" Friday, capping several days of workshops during the Annual Girl Scout Winter Training Conference.

ty of Houston has decided to automatically admit applicants in the top 20 percent of their graduating class, sidestepping the controversial top 10 percent admissions law.

University officials said the revised policy will be implemented in the fall 2006 seester regardless of what happens with ongoing legislative attempts to change the law.

Michael Jackson trial: Los Angeles prosecutors in the child molestation trial of Michael Jackson want court nermission to subnoena the star's financial records and present expert testimony about his wealth, according to documents released Friday.

Defense lawyers argued the materials are not relevant and violate Jackson's privacy.

Public pool ruling: A Muslim woman who was barred from accompanying her children to a public swimming pool because she was fully clothed settled a lawsuit Friday against the city of Omaha. Neb.

The city said it amended its swimming pool dress code to accommodate religious or medical needs. Other details of the settlement with Lubna Hussein were not made public.

"We're happy to feel like part of the com-munity again," Hussein said.

Human smuggling: The New York man accused of driving and abandoning a hot, airless tractor-trailer in the nation's deadliest human smuggling attempt will not be allowed to waive his right to a jury trial, a

judge decided Friday in Houston.

If Tyrone Williams' request had been approved, U.S. District Judge Vanesa Gilmore would have decided if he was guilty or not guilty of any of 58 counts of har-boring and transporting illegal immigrants he faces for the May 2003 smuggling at-

tempt. Nineteen immigrants died. Williams faces the death nenalty in the case, scheduled to go to trial next week.

Military

Accused drill instructor: A drill instructor who struck a Marine recruit who later died during training has been suspended pending an investigation into the death, mili-

tary officials said Friday.

Jason Tharp of Sutton, W.Va., drowned Feb. 8 while participating in a water-survival training course at Parris Island.

The day before his death, a Columbia, S.C., television station recorded a confrontation between Tharp and the drill instructor, who was seen in the video grabbing Tharp by the shirt and striking him in the chest.

Gitmo translator sentenced: An American translator who admitted taking classified documents from the U.S. prison camp at Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, was sentenced Friday to 20 months in prison.

With time already served, Ahmed Fathy Mehalba could be released in three weeks.

Mehalba, 32, an Egyptian-born U.S. citizen and civilian Arabic translator at Guantanamo, told the judge he exercised "very poor judgment" when he took computer discs out of the country. But he said he never intended to use the files for any illicit purpose.

World

East Timor abuses: Secretary-General Kofi Annan has appointed a commission of experts to review the prosecution of human rights violations during a wave of violence after East Timor voted for independence from Indonesia in 1999.

The U.N. Security Council expressed concern in November at Indonesia's failure to punish those responsible for the violence that killed 1,500 people and left much of East Timor in ruins.

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Misawa looking for bazaar volunteers

BY JENNIFER H. SVAN

Stars and Stripes MISAWA AIR BASE Japan -

There's a foot of snow on the ground, but the Misawa Officers Spouses Club is thinking spring. Spring bazaar, to be exact.

ne group is calling on Misawa residents to volunteer: More than 200 are needed for the Far East Bazaar to be held March 19 and 20 in Hangar 949, said Kim Milner, publicity chairwoman for the

bazaar and MOSC "It's a fabulous weekend." Milner said. "The volunteers have a great time. We couldn't do it with out their help. It really is a total community effort.

Volunteers will work with vendors out on the floor, helping them write sales tickets and packaging purchases, she said. They'll also assist with inputing sales data and other paperwork in the business office during the event.

Volunteers work shifts. In exchange, perks," Milner said. four-hour "there are

"All of our volunteers are eligible for door-prize drawings during their shift, and they are allowed to pre-shop before the bazaar opens to the rest of the base community on Saturday,' said

Door prizes are donated by the bazaar's vendors.

This year, about 30 vendors from all over Asia are expected at the bazaar Milner said furniture sellers from South Korea, China and Hong Kong will be on hand.

A week after a moderate earth-

quake rocked and rolled the

Kanto Plain, pupils at Arnn Elementary School at Sagamihara

Housing Area near Tokyo will be

able to recreate the experience

Wednesday as part of an Earth-

quake Awareness program at the

an earthquake truck and smoke-

house brought in by the Sagami-

hara City Fire Department that al-

lows children to safely experi-

ence earthquakes and house

The earthquake truck's interior

looks like a room with a kitchen

and can simulate earthquakes

with a range of magnitudes, from

small to major tremors. It teaches

fires

The daylong event will feature

Other items to be sold include Japanese antiques, kokeshi dolls, obi and kimono, and Persian rugs from Pakistan.

The newest vendor, who was featured for the first time in the club's annual fall bazaar, is from

"He had some really neat fabric goods, like duvet covers, pillow shams, tablecloths and runners," Milner said

Besides volunteers, MOSC also is seeking donations of food for volunteers and vendors throughout the weekend, Milner said. "We are asking for donations of

bottled water and soda and individ-ually-wrapped snacks," she said. Those items can be dropped off at the hospitality room in Hangar 949 starting March 18.

MOSC also contracts with pri-

vate organizations to set up food and other booths and is currently seeking organizations for that The spring bazaar is one of the club's biggest fund-raisers of the year. Proceeds are donated to

community organizations and scholarship funds, Milner said. To get on the list to volunteer for the bazaar, send an e-mail to:

fareastbazaar@yahoo.com "You can list your shift preference and we'll do our best to ac-

commodate you," Milner said.

The bazaar runs from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. March 19, and 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. March 20. It's open to all status-of-forces-agreement identification card holders.

kids how to move around and find

It can simulate specific major

The smokehouse uses a tent

filled with clean, odorless smoke

to show the effects of reduced visi-

bility and how smoke rises during

ulators, Camp Zama's Fire De-partment will bring fire trucks

for display and the Safety Office

scheduled for last November but

rained out, will be held in the

school parking lot from 9:30 a.m.

to 3 p.m. The truck will be open to

members of the local community

starting at 2:15.

Wednesday's event, originally

will provide safety information.

In addition to Sagamihara's sim-

earthquakes that have hit Japan to show how serious the incidents

E-mail Jennifer H. Svan at svanj@pstripes.osd.mil

Arnn pupils ready to rock

safety.

And they're off ...



Participants start the President's Day 3K/5K Run on Friday at Sasebo Naval Base, Japan. Fitness participants ran three kilometers, while the hard-core runners ran five. The run started off in front of Nimitz Park amid rain and 41-degree temperatures. The President's Day run is one of 25 scheduled this year by the Morale, Welfare and Recreation Fun Run Club.

Badge for 'infantry-like job'

Army clarifies criteria for new Close Combat Badge

By LEO SHANE III Stars and Stripes

WASHINGTON - The Army's new combat badge is designed to honor non-infantry soldiers performing infantry work, not simply those who find themselves in combat situations, the service's

chief of personnel said Friday. "While everyone in Iraq and Afghanistan is in harm's way, there is a difference between combat operations such as patrols fighting off attacks and deliberately planned offensive combat mis-sions," said Lt. Gen. Franklin L

"Buster" Hagenbeck.

"The [new badge] is the right thing to do to recognize those soldiers in units purposefully reorga-nized to serve as infantry and conducting infantry-unique

Criteria for the Close Combat Badge, unveiled last week, will mirror that of the Army's 62-year-old Combat Infantry Badge, awarded to infantry units and special forces who engage in active ground combat.

created after generals in the war on terror complained that "de facto infantry" non-infantry units that have been reorganized for that type of combat missions were not being properly recognized for their work.

he awarded to soldiers with military occupational specialties in armor, the cavalry, combat engineering, and field artillery. Officers must have a branch or specialty recognized in Army regulations as "having a high probability to routinely engage in direct combat?

Proposed guide for new badge

■ Colonel or below for officers: all enlisted soldiers are eligible. ■ Enlisted soldiers must have a Military Occupational Specialty in Armor or Cavalry (CMF 19), Artillery (CMF 13), or Combat Engineer (CMF 12).

■ Officers must have a branch or specialty officially recognized in Army Regulation 611-1 as "having a high probability to routinely engage in direct combat. Soldiers must be:

■ Assigned or attached to an Army brigade or smaller unit that is purposely organized to routinely conduct close combat operations and engage in direct combat, in accordance with existing

Army rules and policy. ■ Under fire while engaged in active ground combat, to moving

into contact and destroying the enemy with direct fire.

■ Battle or campaign participation is not sufficient to qualify for this award; the unit must have been in active ground combat Effective date:

Sept. 11, 2001 (retroactive) But other soldiers have com-

On Friday, Hagenbeck called

their service commendable, but said the idea behind the combat

badges is to recognize those with

"The CCB is for an infan-

the new badge in March, though

in ambushes and fire-

Source: U.S. Army

the honor as well.

an infantry mission.

plained publicly that other forces caught fights in Iraq have faced the same combat situations and deserve

Hagenbeck said the CCB was

try-like job," he said. "It's an emotional issue. The CIB has been The Close Combat Badge will around for more than 60 years, a lot of discussion went into this. The consensus was that these soldiers needed to be recognized for this job. Officials plan to make the honor retroactive to Sept. 11, 2001, and want to begin awarding the actual hadge will not be available until the fall.

Hagenbeck said the design for the hadge has not been finalized. but plans call for the CIB's rifle to be replaced with a bayonet

Under current Army rules, all soldiers are allowed to wear their unit patch on their right soldier as a combat patch after serving 30 days in an authorized combat the-

Hagenbeck said officials also plan to honor non-Army troops serving with CCB and CIB eligiunits with those badges as well, the first time non-Army fighters would receive such an

That could include both U.S. forces and foreign nationals embedded with Army combat units, Hagenbeck said.

U.S. Special Olympics team to visit Yokota YOKOTA AIR BASE, Japan - Base residents are invited to help

greet and assist the U.S. Special Olympics team at Yokota's Air Mo-bility Command terminal at 10 a.m. Tuesday.

About 280 team members will transit through Yokota's 730th Air

Mobility Squadron en route to Nagano Prefecture, Japan, to compete in the winter Special Olympics from Feb. 26 to March 5. Once there, athletes will compete in alpine and cross-country skiing, figure skating, floor hockey, snowboarding, snowshoeing and speed skating, according to a base news release. Volunteers are needed to carry baggage, escort athletes and help

with refreshments, according to a base news report. Yokota's honor guard will help honor the athletes as base school children hold posters and signs to support the athletes.

E-mail gerald.morey@yokota.af.mil or call the 374th Airlift Wing Public Affairs Office at DSN 225-8833 for more information. From staff reports

DOD to investigate alleged serial rapists

BY CORKY SIEMASZKO

New York Daily News

NEW YORK — Stung by reports of serial rapists in the ranks, the Pentagon said Friday it would investigate the soldiers identi-

fied by a watchdog group.

More than a year after Defense Secretary Donald Rumsfeld declared "zero tolerance" for rape, the number of troops who claim to have been violated has nearly tri-

pled, the Miles Foundation reported.
"This indicates to us that rape in the ranks continues to be a problem in the military," said Anita Sanchez, spokeswoman for the Connecticut-based foundation. The nonprofit group assists servicemembers

who have been sexually assaulted.
Sanchez said the foundation has received
307 reports of sexual assault occurring
over the last 30 months from soldiers —
mostly female — serving in Iraq, Afghanistan, Kuwait and Bahrain, And many are re-

luctant to report rapes to their superiors.

"We're looking and trying to determine
who these predators are," said Lt. Col. Joe
Richard, a Pentagon spokesman.

Richard, a Pentagon spokesman.

Sanchez said her organization forwarded the names of the suspected servicemembers to their respective services.

Each has been accused by two or more soldiers who came to the Miles Foundation for help. Six are in the Army, two are in the Marines and one each is in the Navy and Air Force

"We report it to the services, as opposed to the Pentagon, because the services have direct authority over those individuals," Sanchez said. "There are protocols we go through."

Sanchez said they also have gotten reports about a private security guard who al-

Former guardsman to discuss alleged rape on '60 Minutes'

In an interview that airs Sunday on CBS' "60 Minutes," former Lt. Jennifer Dyer of the New Jersey National Guard said the Army treated her "like a criminal" when she reported being raped at Camp Shelby in Hattiesburg, Miss.

Given two weeks to recover, Dyer said, "I was told that if I didn't return on time, they would send MPs to my door and have me arrested. They stated that two weeks was enough time to recover from such an incident."

But Dyer's alleged attacker was still on the base. So she went AWOL and was later granted an honorable discharge.

"I was fearful of my health and safety and sanity," says Dyer of Mays Landing, N.J., who is a police officer in civilian life.

The Army "has done nothing but lie to me and treat me like a criminal," said the 26-year-old Dyer, who is from Mays Landing and has agreed to be identified by name. CBS released a partial tran-

legedly assaulted several female soldiers

The alleged perpetrators also included for-

Sanchez declined to release the names of

The New York Daily News, however,

learned that one of them is a Marine who

eign national soldiers.

the accused.

script of the taped interview on Thursday.

Her alleged attacker, Michael Hall, 35

Her alleged attacker, Michael Hall, 35, also a National Guard lieutenant, is scheduled to go on trial on rape charges next month in a military court in Alabama. He has said the sex was consensual.

Dyer's lawyer, Frederick Klepp, said the alleged attack occurred after she went to an officer's club last August while training at Camp Shelby, near Hattiesburg. Miss.

Hall's lawyer, Victor Kelley, has said that the sex was consensual and Dyer made up the rape allegation to get out of serving in Iraq.

She has since requested and received an honorable discharge.

Last month, a military hearing officer said there was not enough evidence and recommended that the rape charge be

dropped.

- From wire reports

got immunity last year to testify at the court-martial of one of his alleged victims. The Marine denied the charge.

Under pressure from Congress, the Defense Department recently introduced sweeping policy changes for handling sexual assaults of soldiers.

Based on victim interviews, the group has identified 10 servicemembers and a military contractor who allegedly each sexually assaulted anywhere from two to two

dozen soldiers.

Of the 307 reports of sexual assault received by the Miles Foundation from troops in Iraq, Afghanistan, Kuwait and Bahrain, 104 cases already have been reported to military authorities, Sanchez

said.

Part of the reason for the difference in numbers may lie in how sexual assaults are defined. Often defense officials will only note alleged cases of forcible rape, she said, while the foundation figures also

include less violent assaults.

And, Sanchez noted, the actual number of sex crimes could be even higher, since many of these types of offenses are not reported to authorities.

"Four of the rape victims are men and we believe the true number is higher," Sanchez said. "In the culture of the military, there is an enormous amount of

Kate Summers, a director with the foundation, said victims who are serving overseas often do not have the resources they need following a sexual assault

"The availability of supplies, such as rape evidence kits, and trained personnel to provide care and treatment remains a challenge for victims in deployed units," she said

Also, because of "don't ask, don't tell" rules, male victims are less likely to report an attack for fear of being labeled homosexual and getting drummed out of the service, Sanchez said.

Stars and Stripes reporter Leo Shane III contributed to this report.

Video-link reunions lift morale

BY T.A. BADGER

FORT SAM HOUSTON, Texas

— Christina Favila hadn't been face to face with her husband since Christmas, when his Army Reserve unit shipped out to Iraq for a year, so she wanted to look her best.

She picked a crisp silvery-white tailored blouse and tan slacks for the occasion. Her eye makeup and soft pink lipstick were carefully applied, and her dark brown hair freshly streaked with bright orange highlights.

"I feel like I'm going on my first date," the 24-year-old mother of three said. "My hands are sweaty. I'm just nervous, I haven't seen him in so long."

All this fluss for 10 minutes together, and they wouldn't be in the same room. The reunion came last weekend via a 7,500-mile live video link between this Army post in San Antonio and a U.S. base in Mosul, where 23-year-old Pfe. Juvenal Favila Jr. works as a clerk with the 228th Combat Support Hospital.

Almost since the war began in

Almost since the war began in 2003, such high-tech hookups have provided morale boosts for soldiers who get to see their children born after deployment or watch a toddler blow out his first



Christina Favila, top right, with her mother Maria Lopez, left, and two daughters, Aliea, 6, right, and Misty Rae, wave as they take part in Pavila family reunion via a 7,500-mile liev video link between Fort Sam Houston and a U.S. base in Mosul, where Pfc. Juvenal Favila Jr. works as a clerk with the 228th Combat Support Hospital.

birthday candle. Christina Favila wanted to tell

Juvenal that 6-year-old Aliea is doing well in kindergarten and she's become Mommy's big helper around the house. And that Misty Rae, 3, and Ethan, almost 2, are settling down after weeks of confusion and anger after he left.

Aliea could only stare silently at the TV, tears rolling down her cheeks. Misty Rae, in her grandmother's arms, beamed with joy.

During the exchange, the

grownups talked about the recent spate of cold and rainy weather, and Christina ticked off the long list of people who said hello.

"Tell everybody I'm doing OK, I'm doing fine," he said as time was running out. "I miss you very much. I love you all." Christina had held it together

Christina had held it together until then. "I love you, too," she barely managed to say before covering her face with her hands and sobbing quietly. He blew kisses with both hands and stepped out of the camera's view.

E-mail scam preys on families of fallen soldiers

WASHINGTON — Federal authorities are investigating two e-mail scams, including one targeting families of soldiers killed in Iraq, that claim to be connected to the Homeland Security Department.

The scams "are among the worst we have ever encountered," Michael J. Garcia, director of the department's Immigration and Customs Enforcement bureau, said Friday.

Both of the online pleas for help—and money—link themselves

to the bureau.

In one scheme, e-mail sent to families of U.S. soldiers killed in Iraq include a link to the bureau's Web site. The e-mail seeks to re-

cover money from a friend of the slain soldier.

In the other, the e-mail identifies itself as being sent by a federal agent looking for funds looted from the Iraqi Central Bank by Saddam Hussein's son. The e-mail also links to the bureau Web site and asks for confirmation of the recipient's address, saying "There is a very important and confidential matter which I want us both to disconfidential matter which I want by the to disconfidential matter which I want by the to disconfidential matter which I want by the disconfidential want by the disconfidential

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At least 55 dead in Iraq violence

BAGHDAD - Insurgents and suicide bombers struck out in Baghdad and other parts of Iraq on Saturday, leaving at least 55 people dead as Shiites commemorated the death 14 centuries ago of the founder of their Muslim

For the second year, the attacks shattered the commemoration of Ashoura, the holiest day of the Shiite religious calendar. The dead this year included a U.S. soldier. killed in Baghdad when American troops responded to calls for assistance from Iraqi forces unable to cope with a slew of attacks.

The country's interim government and Shiite political parties said they would not allow the country to slip into civil war just days before the religious group's political parties take control of Iraq

The attacks made Saturday the deadliest day since last month's elections for a new national assembly. The Shiite ticket, the United Iraqi Alliance won 48 nercent of the vote in Iraq's first democratic halloting.

A series of similar attacks, some carried out by suicide bombers targeting Shiite mosques, killed 36 people on Friday.

"The bombings on Shiite mosques and shrines on Ashoura by terrorists that call themselves Muslims are in fact actions by terrorists only attempting to spill even more Muslim blood by encouraging sectarian violence, said Mouwaffaq al-Rubaie, the national security adviser for the interim government.



A U.S. soldier covers the perimeter while others examine the body of one of two Iraqi police officers killed on a busy intersection Saturday in Mosul, Iraq. Each had been shot in the head and left on the side of the road. Across Iraq, a string of suicide bombings killed at least 55.

Afghan shootings

The U.S. military is investigating why American troops fatally shot two civilians outside a base near Afghanistan's western border with Iran, officials said Satur-

U.S. troops opened fire on the tered an exclusion zone around the base on Feb. 11 near Shindand

Air Base in Herat province, said a spokesman for the provincial government. "Regrettably, two local nationals were killed, and we're investigating the situation right now," said Maj. Steve Wollman, a spokesman for the U.S. military.

The two families of the victi had received \$2,300 each in a payment of condolence, but that's not an admission of guilt or wrong doing," he said.

Terrorist suspects surrender in Kuwait

BY DIANA ELIAS The Associated Press

KUWAIT CITY — Kuwaiti police Saturday arrested two men wanted for allegedly being connected to a terror group planning to attack Americans and Kuwaiti security forces, an Interior Ministry official said.

The men surrendered peacefully in a Kuwait City suburb, the official said on condition of anonymity. He would not identify them except to say they

were Kuwaitis. Since Jan. 10, four policemen and eight suspected terrorists have been killed in clashes around the country. A group of Muslim extremists is suspected of planning to attack American civilians living Kuwait and members of the U.S. military stationed here or on their way to Iraq. Kuwait's state security apparatus also

was a target, authorities said. The alleged ringleader of the group, Amer al-Enezi, died of a heart attack while in custo-

dy, authorities said. The group did not carry out any attacks. But in one of their safe houses, near the border with Saudi Arabia, authorities found handwritten instructions for making bombs and chemicals that could be used to do so.

The alleged 24-member terror group included Jordani-ans, Saudis, Kuwaitis and stateless Arabs who have lived in this oil-rich state for decades without becoming citizens.
The interior minister has said they received funds from Saudis and embraced the ideology of al-Qaida

About 40 people suspected of having links to the group, in-cluding the wife of the deceased ringleader, are in custody, but it is not known whether

Kuwait has been a U.S. ally since the 1991 Gulf War that liberated from seven-month Iraqi occupation. However, militants opposing the U.S. military presence in their country have attacked Americans, killing one Marine and a civilian contractor since 2002

Kuwait's Islamic movements have condemned the clashes between police and militants and offered to assist the government in its fight against extremism. But Westernized liberals say Islamists are afraid of losing political ground and accuse them of spreading a culture of intolerance and hate for the West that pushed young men to take up arms.

The government has decided to clamp down on extremism in mosques, reform school textbooks to reflect modera-tion and launch a national anti-terror media campaign.

Chalabi confident he'll be prime minister

The Associated Press

BAGHDAD - Ahmad Chalabi, the Washington insider who later fell out of favor with the United States, expressed confidence Friday that he was on the brink of being anointed by the United Iraqi Alliance to be the country's democratically elected

Chalabi said that if he's chosen prime minister, he would seek to establish an agreement to govern the presence of U.S. troops, and open the heavily fortified Green Zone, now housing government buildings and the U.S. and British embassies, to the Iraqi people.

He also promised to weed out

corruption, establish a strong judiciary that would not Saddam Hussein and his former officials on trial "quickly," and give Iraqis the government jobs now held by for-eigners recruited by the Coalition Provisional Authority that ran Iraq before the interim government was established. Chalabi has emerged as one of the two leading gy-backed alliance's choice when a decision is made, possibly in a secret ballot early next week. The other is interim Vice President Ibrahim al-Jaafari.

When asked if a majority of alliance members would vote for him, Chalabi — a secular Shiite - replied with a single word: yes



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Clinton, Bush visit tsunami area

BAN NAM KHEM, Thailand -Former Presidents George H.W. Bush and Bill Clinton got a firsthand look Saturday at the devastation and grief unleashed by the Dec. 26 tsunami in South Asia greeting children in a shattered fishing village and observing a moment's silence for tourists who

perished. The two former presidents and one-time political foes, who are leading private U.S. relief efforts, also dined with Thai Prime Minister Thaksin Shinawatra at the beginning of a tour that will include stops in the next two days in Indo-Sri Lanka and the Maldives, which all were hard-hit. schedule, Bush and Clinton appeared moved by what they saw especially when two children who lost family members in the tsunami presented them with crayon drawings of the disaster. One showed a giant wave and a rescue helicopter and the other depicted floodwaters sweeping away peo-

ple, cars and boats. Clinton's eves appeared to tear up and his voice trembled as he spoke about the trauma suffered by children in the village of Ban Nam Khem. Later, he said the experience of visiting the village made him recall the "religious traditions" that "teach us that we're not really in control.

more humble and grateful for every day," he said.

The two former presidents were asked by President Bush. the elder Bush's son, to lead the U.S. effort to provide private aid to the hundreds of thousands of tsunami victims.

"I don't think there's ever been a tragedy that affected the heartbeat of the American people as much as this tsunami has done, the senior Bush said in the shattered village of Ran Nam Khem "I don't think you can put a limit on it. It's so devastating. They're still finding wreckage, still actually some bodies being recovered.



Former U.S. presidents George H. W. Bush and Bill Clinton are greeted upon their arrival Saturday at Andersen Air Force on Guam by, from left: Guam Governor Felix Camacho, Marine Lt. Gen. Robert Blackman, comnder of Operation Unified Assistance: Rear Admiral Arthur Johnson. Commander of the Naval Forces Marianas; Col. Jerry Rivera, Commander of the Guam Army National Guard; and Col. Gregg Sanders, Vice Commander of the 13th Air Force.



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U.S., Japan urge N. Korea to return to six-party talks

BY HARRY DUNPHY The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Expressing deep concern about North Korea's nuclear weapons program, senior U.S. and Japanese officials on Saturday pressed the communist nation to soon resume international talks aimed at halting its arms development.

The North Korean government gave no indication it was interested

"It really is time for North Korea to take seriously the concern of the international

community' and return to

talks involving the United States and four other nations, Secretary of State Condoleezza Rice after Secretary inining Defense Donald Rumsfeld in a meeting with their Japanese counterparts.

Negotiations among two Koreas, China, Japan, Russia and the United States offer North Korea the best path forward to security assurances and a better life for its people, Rice said at a news conference at the State Depart-

'The North Koreans are continuing to bring about their own isolation by not dealing with this problem," Rice said.

But North Korea is not ready to resume the talks and does not want direct meetings with Washington.



Korean officia1 Rice made clear the Bush ad-

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ministration has not offered one-on-one negotiations and that the six-nation forum is what is

Japan's foreign minister, Nobutaka Machimura, joined Rice in urging an "early and unconditional resumption" of the talks.

Since 2003, China has hosted three inconclusive rounds of discussions. North Korea refused to attend a fourth round scheduled United States of trying to topple its government.

Machimura said there were

"no prospects as to when they will return, but time is slipping by and this only worsens the situation suggested other countries might take a tougher line against North Korea should the impasse

Added Rice: "They ought to return to those talks so that people don't have to contemplate oth measures. They have a path ahead of them."

Machimura also said China, rather than serving as a moderator, should work more actively to try to persuade the North Koreans to rejoin talks.

A top Chinese Communist Party official was in the North Korean capital on Saturday for a meeting with the North's No. 2 leader.

Rice said she hoped Beijing would convey the message that it believes "there can be no nuclear weapons" in either Korea.

Reviving the stalled talks has become more urgent after North Korea's unconfirmed declaration this month that is has become a nuclear power.

Navy commissions USS Jimmy Carter

The USS Jimmy Carter, the most advanced submarine ever built, was commissioned Saturday with President Bush calling for a smaller submarine fleet and the Pentagon considering closing a



SOURCES: General Dynamics Electric Boat: GlobalSecurity ore: U.S. Navy

Navy's final Seawolf also its most powerful

BY CARA RUBINSKY The Associated Press

GROTON, Conn. - The USS Jimmy Carter entered the Navy's fleet Saturday as the most heavily armed submarine ever built, and as the last of the Seawolf class of attack subs the Pentagon ordered

during the Cold War's final years. The \$3.2 billion Jimmy Carter was commissioned Saturday, the first named after a living ex-president. Carter, himself a submari-ner during his time in the Navv. was on hand for the ceremony signaling the end of an era in subma-

"The most deeply appreciated and emotional honor I've ever had is to have this great ship bear my name," Carter said in re-marks prepared for the ceremo-ny at the Naval Submarine Base New London

Carter was joined by his wife, Rosalynn, former Vice President

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Walter Mondale and his wife Joan, and Stansfield Turner, CIA director in the Carter administra-

The 453-foot, 12,000-ton submarine has a 50-torpedo payload and eight torpedo tubes. And, accord-ing to intelligence experts, it can tap undersea cables and eavesdrop on the communications passing through them.

It can reach speeds of more than 45 knots and carry Tomahawk cruise missiles and anti-submarine torpedoes, and it is engineered to be quieter than the other two Seawolves, making it better for surveillance.

John Pike, a military analyst with globalsecurity.org, said the ceremony closes the book on the big-submarine era.

"It was part of our strategy on how we were going to win World War III. It was a significant component in our response to the evil

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Weighing painkiller problem

What are the risks, rewards of pain relief drugs?

BY RANDOLPH E. SCHMID

The Associated Press

WASHINGTON - Experts advising the government decided there is a real risk of heart damage from some of the most effective and popular prescription drugs to ease the pain chronic diseases such as arthritis

But those federal advisers, after three days of meetings last week, said the drugs offer enough benefits to let a patient and his doctor decide on their use. The scientists also recommended additional warnings for the drugs and further study.

In question and answer form, a look at the dilem-

ma facing patients: Q. Which drugs are in question?

A. A group of drugs called Cox-2 inhibitors, which ease pain by hampering the activity of the Cox-2 enzyme. Those approved for sale are Celebrex, Bextra and Vioxx - all big sellers in recent years

Q. What is the problem?

A. Heart troubles and strokes. A long-term study showed people taking Vioxx had an increase in heart attacks and strokes. Drug maker Merck & Co. stopped sales of Vioxx in the fall. Since then similar reports have surfaced about Pfizer Inc.'s Celebrex and Bextra.

Q. Why not use other painkillers?

A. Many of them, especially for those using them over long periods, can cause serious stomach damage and bleeding, which can also be life-threatening.

Q. How serious is the heart problem?

Dr. Alistair J.J. Wood of Vanderbilt University School of Medicine said the increase in heart prob lems is about 1 percent for people using Celebrex and higher for Bextra and Vioxx. The reported risk varied from study to study. "The data are very compelling, Vioxx is substantially worse than the others," Wood said.

Q. But that does not sound so bad — 1 percent. A. These drugs are taken by millions of people, so even a small added risk can translate into thousands

of heart attacks and strokes

What did the medical advisers recommend A. They concluded, unanimously, that all three drugs pose at least some risk. But the experts also nought the drugs provide enough benefits that people who need them ought to have that right

Q. Does that mean that Vioxx will go back on A. Because Merck voluntarily withdrew it from

the market, Vioxx is still an approved drug. Company officials said they might consider putting it back on sale now that they have learned the heart problems are not unique to their product Q. What about Celebrex and Bextra?

A. They remain on sale. The advisers did suggest adding label warnings, providing consumer with brochures and taking other steps to ensure people understand the risks. Some experts questioned whether there was evidence these drugs really do reduce stomach problems.

A customer looks at videos in a Newark, N.J., Blockbuster store. The state of New Jersey filed a lawsuit Friday charging that Blockbuster Inc. failed to disclose key terms in its new late fees policy.

N.J. sues Blockbuster over new late-fee policy

By JEFFREY GOLD The Associated Press

NEWARK, N.J. - The state of New Jersey claims Blockbuster the nation's largest movie-rental chain, has violated the state's consumer protection laws with its new policy on late

In a lawsuit filed Friday, the state charged that Blockbuster failed to disclose key terms in the policy, including that overdue rentals are automatically convert-ed to a sale on the eighth day after the due date.

The state is seeking restitution for customers whose overdue rentals were converted to a sale It also wants compensation for people who were charged late fees by stores that were not partic-

ipating in the new policy, but that failed to make that obvious. State Attorney General Peter C. Harvey on Friday called the company's advertising and marketing "deceptive." He said state investiators began visiting dozens of the 170 Blockbuster stores in New Jersey even before receiving a complaint, and found that employees gave misleading or erroneous information on the policy

To date, one aggrieved consum-er has contacted the state, Har-vey said, adding, "We will be flooded with complaints from people who will tell us this is their experience, too.

The lawsuit was filed in state Superior Court in Trenton.

In a statement, the Dal-las-based chain said it has "taken a number of very thorough steps to let customers know how our new program works.

Blockbuster eliminated late fees on games and movies starting Jan. 1, although customers who miss a one-week grace period will be billed for buying the item or charged a \$1.25 restocking fee.

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Man arrested seeking bin Laden bounty

BY ANGELA K. BROWN

The Associated Press

SANSOM PARK Teyas - A Texas man who told authorities he was headed to Syria to try to collect the \$25 million bounty on Osama bin Laden was rarely home and mostly kept to himself, neighbors said.

But a few weeks ago, Matt Mihsen walked through the yard of his tiny, white-clapboard A-frame house carrying a shotgun over his shoulder, wearing a green Army jacket and looking disheveled, a neighbor said Fri-

"He looked kind of wild," said Patty Kelley, 28, whose house is about 30 yards from Mihsen's "I have a 4-year-old son, and I was like, 'Let's get in the

Mihsen, 47, remained in federal custody in Detroit on Friday, three days after his arrest at the Detroit Metropolitan Airport. He told agents that he was going to Syria in hopes of claiming the reward for information leading to bin Laden's arrest and conviction, according to a federal criminal complaint Mihsen, a naturalized U.S. citi-

zen who was born in Syria, said he was a registered private in-vestigator and wanted to conduct an independent probe into the illegal sale of uranium by extremists, authorities said.

He had flown Tuesday on Northwest Airlines from Dallas-Fort Worth International Airport en route to the Netherlands and Syria, via Detroit, authorities said.

He was arrested on charges of making false statements to federal investigators, trying to smuggle bulk cash out of the United States and attempting to export

money and goods to Syria without a permit or authorization. The third charge, the most serious, carries a maximum penalty of 10 years in prison and a \$250,000 fine.

According to the Bureau of Immigration and Customs Enforcement, Mihsen denied carrying a large amount of cash before agents found he had nearly \$14,000. They found a stun gun, 40 rounds of ammunition, pepper spray, a bulletproof vest and three Geiger counters in his luggage, the affidavit said.



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Dad guilty of assault, child rape

SALEM, Mass. - Patrick Mc-Mullen's wife and six children said he held them hostage for years in a converted nightclub behind an eight-foot double fence.

With dark cloth covering the windows, he raped his daughters, beat his wife and kept his family so isolated they didn't know how to turn on a shower before they fi nally fled in May 2001, family members said

On Friday, McMullen, 41, of Salisbury, was convicted of charges including child rape and indecent assault and sentenced to 40 years to life in prison.

Before the sentencing, Mc-Mullen's wife, Christine Mc-Mullen, told Essex Superior Court Judge Howard Whitehead of the lasting effects of her hushand's ahuse

"By abusing the children as he did, the childhood of six children has been murdered," she said.

McMullen's attorney, Michael Phelan, said he would appeal.

In written statements or conversations with prosecutor Kathe Tuttman, McMullen's children expressed no regrets about watching their father go to prison.



Koko, the gorilla who converses in sign language is seen admiring a kitten in 1985. Two fired caretakers for Koko have sued their former bosses, claiming they were pressured to expose their breasts as a way of bonding with the gorilla.

Signing gorilla's ex-handlers sue over breast-baring claim

BY JESSIE SEYFER

Knight Ridder Newspapers

SAN JOSE, Calif. — We al-ready knew that Koko the gorilla liked sign language, kittens and painting. But nipples? That's what two fired handlers at the Gorilla Foundation in Woodside, Calif., say they were told by the organization's president, Francine "Penny" Patterson. In a lawsuit filed Tuesday in San Mateo County court, the handlers say Patterson demanded the two women bare their breasts to the famed son believes the animal enjoys it. An attorney for the Foundation flatly denied the allegations.

The handlers, Nancy Alperin and Kendra Keller, claim that last summer, Patterson told them their job status would suffer if they did not indulge Koko's "nipple fetish

On several occasions in May through June of last year, Patterson told Alperin that "exposing one's breasts to Koko was a normal component to developing a personal bond with the gorilla," the suit alleges

weeks later, they alerted the state health department of sanitary prob-lems at the wooded gorilla preserve. The Foundation fired them on Aug. 6, the day after the health department inspected the facility according to the lawsuit. Court records show the inspectors fined the preserve \$300 on Aug. 24.

Alperin and Keller are suing Patterson and the foundation for sexual discrimination, wrongful termination, and negligent infliction of emotional distress, among other allegations. They are seeking just over \$1 million in damages

Credit scam victim nails Home Depot

Los Angeles Times SANTA ANA, Calif. — Home Depot ignored Alan Sporn for two years, but a \$1 million court judgment got the company's attention

The Laguna Hills businessman had his Social Security number stolen, which ended up in a dozen requests for Home Depot credit.

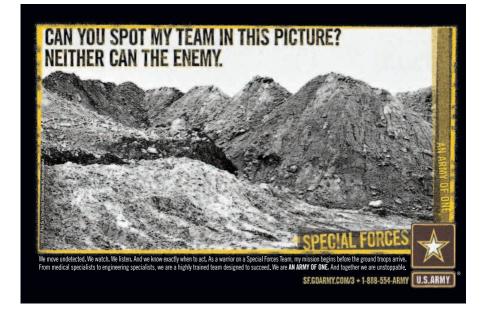
The fiasco hurt Sporn's credit rating, but the home improvement giant that prides itself in customer service brushed off his concerns — until he filed a lawsuit, won and then tried to collect the money from a company bank account

Then, Home Depot decided to act. It appealed the case, but this week an appellate court here sided with Sporn.

On Friday, the victor and his lawver were celebrating.

"I feel vindicated," Sporn, 52, said of his nearly 3-year effort to get Home Depot to re-

In a brief written statement, Atlanta-based company said that it was "disappointed in the decision ... and respect-fully disagrees with the conclusions of the court.'



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Ask Jim

ture on my Outlook Express. Can you help, please help? - Jim Spinale@charter.net A. First off, Mr. S., do you know

that there is no spell-check software built into Outlook Express and that it gets its spell-check feature by borrowing that of a word processor like Microsoft Works or Microsoft Office? It would be nice if that is your problem, because there are inexpensive programs available that can

add spell-checking to machines lacking the fea-Check www.spellchecker.com/personal, which offers software for \$20 and permits free

trials beforehand, or go to www.downloads.com and use "spell check" as a keyword to find the wealth of shareware for this feature

Sadly, a significant number of users have encountered a problem with one of the Windows files that is used to do the checks. It is called csapi3t1.dll and if you have Works or an equivalent program then you need to replace it. This is complex but doable.

Fire up Internet Explorer and

1/4Program Files 1/4Common 1/4Microsoft Files Shared ¹/₄Proof. This takes you to your PC's Proofing directory, which is

used for spell checks, grammar checks and other supervisory jobs. If the csapi3t1.dll file is there. delete it.

> Then you need make a fresh copy of the file using the Expand tool. Click on Start and Run and then type msconfig and click OK.

In the next display, click on Expand File. In the box that comes up you are asked for the name of

the file to restore so type in csapi3t1.dll and then in the Restore From box, type in C: 1/4Windows 1/4I386, which is where these files are kept. In some cases the master file is on the supplied Windows CD; if so, type in the drive letter for the CD drive and I386.

Finally, point the Expand tool to the Proof folder mentioned above and click the Expand button. This will restore spell-checking in a matter of seconds.

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Faded banner may be Philippines' first flag

The Associated Press

SAN FRANCISCO - Tacked inside a wooden display case in a rarely visited cor ner of the San Francisco War Memorial could be the answer to one of the great mysteries of Philippine history: What happened to the first flag?

The Philippines' founding president, Emilio Aguinaldo, famously unfurled the original "Stars and Sun" flag when he declared his nation's independence from Spain in 1898. but the banner disappeared during the Phil ippine-American War that followed.

Hanging by two thumbtacks in the building's trophy room is a faded red, white and blue banner that just might be that missing icon - a banner Filipinos compare to the "Stars and Stripes" flag Betsy Ross made during the U.S. war of independence.

Rudy Asercion, a member of the American Legion's War Memorial Commission, noticed the artifact in the usually locked trophy room last year. He now believes U.S. Gen. Frederick Funston captured the flag during the Philippine-American War and brought it back to San Francisco in 1902.

The National Historical Institute in Manila dispatched a representative to inspect the flag, and later sent a letter to the commission saying the banner was "most likely authentic

If it proves to be authentic, the Philippine government would very much like to see the flag returned, and there appear to be few objectors in San Francisco, where the Board of Supervisors passed a resolution this month urging the American Legion to investigate its history



Memorial Commissioner Rudy Asercion shows a flag at the War Memorial Building in San Francisco, He helieves it is the original "Stars and Sun" flag unfurled when the Philippines declared independence in 1898

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The Berlinale film festival shows a scene featuring Will Smith, left, and Kevin James of the movie "Hitch," directed by Andy Tennant. The U.S. production was screened during the competition of the International Film Festival Berlinale in Berlin on Friday,

lames steals limelight

Actor improvises moves in new flick

By CHRIS HEWITT

Knight Ridder Newspapers

sher has crunking, Michael Jackson has the moonwalk and Kevin James has the Q-Tip.

James is in "Hitch," which is about a romance coach for the dateless played by Will Smith.

But, for about five minutes, "Hitch" is hijacked by the James Klutzatronic Dance Machine

His character demonstrates his pathetic dance moves for Smith, including an ear-fingering gesture called the Q-Tip and a hand-rubbing motion called Starting the

All are rejected.

"You just look at me, and you know I can throw it down, right? Me and getting the ladies - you can see how smooth I am, jokes James, star of TV's "The King of Queens," calling from a New York hotel.

"Those are pretty much my own moves, which is pretty sad. That was my calling card with the ladies, back in the day. That was what I had to work with - that out-of-control thing, sort of like onions falling out of a bag."

Smith and James improvised the dance scene (they did lots of stuff that's not in the movie but could be on the DVD), something James says many stars wouldn't go

"Some actors would see another supporting actor getting laughs and would shut it down immediately," says James, declining to name names. "But Will encouraged it." The two were friends first, after a

'Oneens" writer introduced them and they nlayed golf Smith said they should work together; James figured it was one of those

when-pigs-fly situations. But Smith called and James said yes to a tiny role that, over the course of a movie's

worth of improvised scenes, ended up heing not-so-tiny James was thrilled because, despite six

vears on a hit sitcom, the movie offers were not exactly pouring in.

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Kevin James

Actor

They weren't exactly even trickling

"It's hard knock down doors, even if you've been on a TV show for a while," says James. "It's such a difficult transition to make as you can tell from all the TV actors

Space."

who tried and didn't make it in movies." When James heard from Smith, he had just lost the lead in the next film from Mike Judge, who wrote and directed "Office

At the time, he was bummed not to get the gig. Now, he's thrilled he wasn't chosen because it would have prevented him from doing "Hitch."

Speaking about his collaboration with play-James uses the ing-against-someone-who's-better-than-you-makes-you-better sports met-

The difference is, when he says working with Smith is the comedy equivalent of playing golf with Tiger Woods, James isn't speaking metaphorically.

He actually has played golf with Tiger Woods, and tips from Woods actually did make him better Same goes for Smith who helped him figure out the whole movie

With "Hitch" heading into theaters Friday, "King of Queens" about to wrap shooting for the season and a couple of movies already completed (including a comedy that nairs him with mentor Ray Romano). James is looking at what's next. He's not sure what it'll be, but it's a good bet it will

find him playing a character unlike the ones in "Queens" and "Hitch." both of whom are lovable, self-deprecating klutzes.

"Rob Burnett, the producer of 'Letterman,' told me you watch a movie for two reasons. Either it's like a James Bond movie, where you see him do things you'll

never do, or it's a character who's a lot like you, so you relate to him," says James.

"That's more what I've been doing, but, believe me, my agents and everybody are going. 'We need to go in a different direction. Let's do something where Kevin is not the fat guy, tripping over his suitcase.

Even if James stavs vertical for the entire film, don't expect him to be too suave.

"The way I look at it is when you expose yourself to America and beyond, like I do on 'King of Queens,' where the humiliating stuff is often part of what's funny or endearing about the character. I have no problem with that," says James. "It's good to show you have faults and you look like an idiot some of the time, because we all do.'

Rock OK with Oscar's delay

First-time Oscar host Chris Rock, a comedian known for his frequent use of expletives, says the five-second decency delay on the ABC show's Feb. 27 telecast

will be a welcome "safety net."

"I've been on TV and been funny not cursing." Rock says in an interview on CPS." (6.0 Minutes.") CBS' "60 Minutes" newsmagazine, to air Sunday night.

"As far as content is concerned, I will talk about the movies. I'm really worried about it. I'm sure ABC is more worried about it than me

Gil Cates the nmducer of the Oscar show, has expressed confidence in Rock, who suggested in a re-Entertainment



Weekly magazine in-terview that no straight black men watch the telecast. "[A time delay is] a safety net. You

know, vou're a trapeze artist ... vou welcome the net," Rock says. Rock also says that when he arrives on Oscar night, he may be traveling "small,"

without an entourage. The 39-year-old actor-comedian says that "with a posse, you're not letting the real world in. And if you don't let the real world in, you're not going to be funny."

He added: "Donald Trump rolls pretty

small, you know

New music director in London

Oleg Caetani, chief conductor of the Melbourne Symphony Orchestra, has been se-lected as the new music director for the English National Opera in London.

Caetani who made his British debut at ENO in 2003, replaces outgoing music director Paul Daniel.

He will start work for the English opera in September 2006, for the start of the 2006-2007 season, the opera said Friday.

Life inside Windsor Castle

Britain's royal family has given a TV crew unprecedented access to Windson Castle for a documentary series about life in the royal household.

Buckingham Palace said Thursday that a team from production company RDF had been filming at the castle, west of London, for a year. The three-part series, tentatively titled, "Windsor," and due to be broad-cast by the British Broadcasting Corp. next fall, includes an interview with Prince Philip and several scenes featuring Queen Elizabeth II

A palace spokeswoman said Philip would speak about his role as a ranger for the castle's extensive grounds and parks.

Spears: Photos invade privacy

Britney Spears says the veil has been lifted on her honeymoon, and she's not happy Photos of Spears and her new husband, Kevin Federline, are on the cover of Us Weekly magazine under the headline: "Britney's Private Album!" Other pictures of the couple's October honeymoon in the Fiji islands are displayed on five pages in-

side the magazine, on newsstands Friday. "Kevin and I chose a resort location where we were promised absolute privacy and seclusion," the 23-year-old pop star

said "Unfortunately, staff members took photographs of us, which we allowed them to take once we were assured they were being taken only for private use in a scrap-

book they gave us as a souvenir." "Other magazines, including Star, contacted us when presented with these photographs and refused to publish them," said Spears.

"Kevin and I thank those other magazines for respecting our rights of privacy.

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STARS STRIPES. LETTERS TO THE EDITOR/OPINION

They deserve Purple Hearts

As I read the stories about our heroes (and I do mean real heroes, being a Vietnam combat veteran myself), I am ap palled at what our government is doing by issuing the Purple Heart and then revoking it ("Shamed by an honor," front-page article, Feb. 10).

Everyone reads regulations differently and gives them meanings that suit them best. When a regulation is not specific enough or not clearly stated in a way that everyone reading it gets the same picture, it needs to be rewritten.

Combat is combat and, if these soldiers were not there, it couldn't happen. Anyone who is injured in a combat situation should be eligible for this medal.

I can tell you from experience that in Vietnam, a chopper was flying to the demil itarized zone on a mission when there was engine trouble and had to gyro rotate to land. It was a hard landing and all aboard were either killed or injured. There were Purple Hearts for all from the command ing general

In Cu Chi, I was with the 25th Infantry Division where some nitwit exploded a clay-more mine and lost an arm. He got the Purple Heart and was retired with disability.

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Not one person I know wanted these medals back. These people were there try-ing to fight a war and were injured or killed because of their mission there

Come on and give these guvs a break.

They deserve the medal and deserve to wear it proudly.

John Mize

Langenzenn, Germany

Touché on 'kash-av'

Let me be the first to applaud the letter writer ("No cachet with "kash-ay," Feb. 17) for editorializing on an issue that, while seemingly trivial, is a reliable cringe-inducer among those of us who value proper English usage.

"Cache" is pronounced "cash." Period. If you utter "cash-ay" while talking about a supply of war materiel that has been found, you are obliterating a perfectly useful word - cachet - and demonstrating a callous disregard for the beauty of the English language.

While we're on the subject of usage: If you are standing in front of a terrain model or map, and you proceed to describe the man with respect to physical terrain features and cardinal directions, you are "orienting" your audience to the map. You are not "orientating" anyone to anything.

1st Lt. Benjamin Bowden Forward Operating Base Ar Ramadi, Iraa

BS: Channel lost in a sea of choices

ven if PBS had never planned to which a bunny named Buster distribute a cartoon episode in son in lesbian appreciation, the federal government ought to de-



cide to gradually quit supplying the TV network with 15 percent of its revenues

The issue of funding has become more in tense of late because of the bunny flap and the concerns of some about leftist programming, but also because ratings are drooping and corporate support

is lagging, it's report-ed. Next year, said Pat Mitchell, PBS president, she will vacate her job, causing still more consternation among those who value PRS

I myself value PBS. Yes, Bill Moyers went off the deep end in his absurd ranting about the rabid right taking over American iournalism in a show before retirement, but he also did superb work on PBS over the years. At various times in the past, I have been a fan of "Masterpiece Theatre." In my view, there is no better national news show on TV than "The NewsHour with Jim Lehrer." A valuable part of my political education was William F. Buckley's highly civilized and sophisticated "Firing Line" dehates on PRS

Given all of that and much, much more, the controversy about Buster going to Vermont to find out about sugar-maple farming and meeting with a couple of lesbian moms seems small potatoes. Producing such a show was an example of political correctness gone stupidly awry, to be sure - what exactly are children supposed to know lesbianism in the first place, and shouldn't instruction about such things come from parents, not know-it-all guardians in the cartoon biz? Still, the reaction was sufficient to cause second thoughts about distribution, and I rather doubt that Buster is going to get himself in comparable mischief soon

The case against federal funding, it seems to me, starts elsewhere - for instance, with the recognition that the old rationale no long er holds up. The argument used to be that because commercial TV depended for success on high ratings, you would ipso facto exclude much programming with limited appeal but great merit if you did not have publicly subsidized TV. Yet in the age of cable. when viewers can tune in the History Channel, The Learning Channel, Discovery and other networks serving relatively small audience niches of all kinds with quality material, the argument collapses

A second point is that PBS is itself commercial. When an announcer tells you that Goody Good Corp. is providing funding for tonight's ballet or whatever, you are hearing an advertisement for Goody Good. PBS stations also get money from fund drives, of course - and that's fine No objection here

But why should PBS receive taxpayer dollars that others in television do not get? Is that fair? Might not PBS compete more effectively and thus stay alive — while still of-fering exceptional shows — if it was not rely-ing on the government and therefore under certain commercial restraints? (In the interest of full disclosure, I should note that I have a financial interest in my former employer, Scripps Howard, which owns cable networks.)

My last point is that what the government funds or helps fund, the government will to some extent control or try to control. Judging by news reports, PBS is getting more conservative views on PBS possibly be-cause of pressure from Republicans in Congress. I like having conservative views on PBS and I don't blame members of Congress for worrying that federal dollars are being spent for one political point of view over the other; they would be negligent if they did not keep an eye on the use made of taxpayer dollars. But I don't want Congress having that kind of influence over political programming. The solution is simple: no federal financing, not even funds for an endowment when the PBS broadcast spectrum is sold down the road.

I would not insist all funding should be cut off this year. Phase it out gradually. Give PBS a chance to survive, and just maybe it will. But on top of other issues, there is no constitutional authority for this type of spending, and it ought eventually to ston.

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BY GARRY TRUDEAU

Doonesbury Flashbacks







States smart to cover all bases with BRAC

into the equation used to determine whether a military base should remain onen or be closed in the com-

ing round of reductions and realignments. Secretary of Defense



Donald Rumsfeld said that the 2005 base re

alignment and closure, or BRAC, process "should be the means by which we reconfigure our current infrastructure into one in which operational capacity maximizes both warfighting capability and efficien

cy . Translation: If the facility adequately and effectively supports the

military of the 21st century, it stays "America simply cannot do military trans-formation without BRAC," said Kenneth Beeks, vice president of policy for Business Executives for National Security. "The Department of Defense is not a jobs program. It is not the role of the Defense Department to provide employment for Americans; it is to protect America so we can find other

Yet elected officials from unpaid city may-ors to high-profile governors and U.S. senators are investing political capital and lots of money into efforts to keep their local bases from ending up in the crosshairs of the BRAC Commission specifically because they are jobs programs in their communi-

At least four lists are circulating on the Internet naming bases that could be targeted for closure under the BRAC process in 2005 the first time the Pentagon has undergone this exercise in a decade.

Theoretically, every one of those Internet lists is accurate because every military facility in the country is supposed to be up for re-

The 2005 process aims to eliminate nearly 25 percent of the military's infrastructure The 2005 closures are expected to exceed all the reductions in the four previous rounds of consolidation combined.

The National Defense Authorization Act of 2002, which authorized this generation of closures, requires the Pentagon to "consider all military installations within the United States equally without regard to whether the installation has been previously considered for closure or realignment by the department '

"Understandably, many of our local com-"Understandably, many of our local com-munity partners will have great concerns over BRAC 2005," wrote then Secretary of the Army Thomas White in a December 2002 letter to his top brass, "We must avoid creating an expectation in the local commu-nities that any action or group of actions would preclude an installation from being considered for realignment." Secretary of the Navy Gordon England is-

sued a similar caution a month earlier in a letter to his command, calling for "every Navy and Marine Corps installation [to] be ed equally and fairly.

Yet here we are, two years later, and BRAC has become a full-employment act for high-priced lobbyists and retired generals who profess to be able to influence a process that, according to Christopher Hell man, military policy analyst for the Center for Arms Control and Non-Proliferation, was "specifically designed to insulate decision makers from lobbyists."

How much money are we talking about? ■ The state of Florida is paying \$50,000 a month for a rent-an-admiral named Robert Natter and a lobbying firm to spearhead the Sunshine State's BRAC efforts, reports the Jacksonville Business Journal.

■ California Gov. Arnold Schwarzeneg-ger has earmarked \$500,000 to advise communities on how to tell the Pentagon why it should keep all 62 of the Golden State'

■ Separately, the Beale Regional Alliance Committee in Yuba County, Calif., has raised more than \$100,000 to hire lobbyists

to fight for Beale Air Force Base, which houses a U-2 intelligence squadron.

Texas voters approved a \$250 million bond program in 2003 to help the Lone Star

State retain its military installations. Gov. Rick Perry's Web site reports that Texas gets a \$33.8 billion direct impact from its 18 military bases and other defense-related spending. In addition, the state benefits from a \$77.4 billion indirect impact — from the extra civilian jobs and spending generated by the military presence in Texas commu-

San Antonio business leaders have raised \$750,000 for a push to keep their local bases reports the San Antonio press-News. San Antonio has reason to perspire: The Army's Fort Sam Houston and Brooks Air Force Base both are on the Inter-

net lists of likely closure candidates To compound the sweat factor. Brooks, a small nonflying research base, was on the 1995 BRAC list but dodged the shutters when nearby Kelly Air Logistics Center was closed instead.

But the communities' money may be ill

"It's a waste of money," said Jack Spencer, senior policy analyst for Defense and National Security in the Kathryn and Shelby Cullom Davis Institute for International Studies at The Heritage Foundation.

"A community would be far better off in spending that money to hire someone to help develop a plan in case the base is closed." Business Executives for National Securi-

ty's Beeks, a former naval officer, agrees "It's money that could be better spent try-ing to prepare for life after BRAC." Beeks said. "But they are hellbent on doing this, mostly for political reasons. They can't be seen not to. Politically they have to make a run at trying to save the base if they want to continue as mayor or city manager or what-

ever the position may be."
Alas, all decisions that germinate inside the Beltway are fertilized by politics, the Miracle-Gro of government. If one elected official is going to spread a little enrichment on the process, the other can't be expected to just stand by and watch.

That may explain Perry's surprise lobbying foray to the Pentagon in December. Without notifying or inviting Texas congressional lawmakers to join him, Perry dropped in on top defense officials Dec. 4 to boost the state's chances in the coming round of base closings

At minimum one can give Perry props for doing his own talking and not hiring outside lobbyists to make his pitch. Perhaps it's more accurate to commend Perry for firing the outside lobbyist that once was hired to promote Texas interests on Capitol Hill.

That lobbyist was former House Majority Leader Dick Armey — oddly enough, the author of the base closing process

2005 Base Realignment and Closure Commission deadlines

■ March 15: The final list of nine commission members submitted by the president and congressional leaders goes to the Senate for consideration and confirmation. Three members are nominated by the president, two each are suggested by the speaker of the House and the Senate majority leader, with one each from the House and Sen-

ate minority leaders.

■ May 16: Secretary of Defense Donald Rumsfeld will submit to the BRAC Commission a list of bases that the department has selected for closure or realignment

■ By Sept. 8: The BRAC Commission reports to the president on its recommenda-

■ By Sept. 23: The president approves or disapproves the list. The president cannot unilaterally make changes to the BRAC Commission's list.

■ If President Bush approves the list, the decision takes effect 45 legislative days after it is submitted to Congress. To change the list, each chamber must adopt and the president must sign a joint resolution of disapproval.

■ If Bush disapproves of the list, the BRAC Commission has until Oct. 20 to submit a revision. The president then would have until Nov. 7 to approve the list.

■ If Bush sends a second list to Congress, the same rules apply: The recommendations become law 45 days after the president sends the list to Congress unless both chambers pass and Bush signs a resolution of disapproval.

when he was still in Congress

Armey's firm, Piper Rudnick LLP, had a \$15,000-a-month contract with the state until Perry found out it also had a \$50.000-a-month contract to represent Florida on base closing issues.

"Remember what these lobbyists are going to do," Spencer said. "They come around to communities and say, 'Your base is going to be closed unless you pay me to represent you.' That will or won't happen regardless of what the lobbyist does. Of course, if it's not closed, the lobbyist will take full credit for it.

"Hopefully, any particular base will be closed or remain open on its own merit," he "The commission will look at it purely from a national security perspective, on what the base brings to the nation's securi-

Jobs, not national security, were on Texas lawmakers' minds when they introduced a bill this month that would let communities use taxes earmarked for economic development to enhance infrastructure around bases. Yet this job-protection effort may be too little too late

"The data are all in to support the closure decisions," Beeks said. "They are so far down that road that if you built a superhighway straight to the CO's door, you still couldn't influence the outcome of this deci-

State leaders would better serve their constituents at this point by focusing on improvements that will serve their communities post-BRAC

Pause for collective gasp here. What many elected leaders have an almost impossible ability to recognize is that BRAC is not a guaranteed death knell for a community's economic health. "The hardest thing to convince people of

and it only happens after they've been through the process — is that there is life after BRAC," said Beeks. "It is a wrenching process but, if commu-

nities will come together and form reuse committees, the Defense Department will help with money, and other money available

through the Commerce Department. "Economies become more diversified, nger and more immune to cyclical ups and downs of defense budgets. They become 21st century economies rather than 20th century industry economy that grows up around ase," Beeks said.

Beeks cites K.I. Sawyer Air Force Base in Michigan's Upper Peninsula as a great example of how a much-condemned closure in 1995 turned into an economic development success story

A state-of-the-art lumber mill began oper ating in the old weapons storage area in 1997. The Marquette County airport had moved to the site by 1999. A company that performs aircraft maintenance for Ameri-

can Eagle airline is located there. By 2001, all of the property that had been owned by the Air Force at the old Strategic Air Command facility was transferred to the county, which identified the area as the Marquette County Renaissance Zone. In April 2004, Michigan Gov. Jennifer

Granholm announced \$350,000 in Community Development Block Grant funding to help B3 Computers develop a production facility that would employ 110 people at the former air base.

Granholm joined every other governor in a state with military facilities in appointing a brass-heavy task force that will fight to keep remaining bases off the BRAC list in 2005.

"BRAC isn't that 'five stages of death' thing, but it's close," said Beeks. "Right now, everyone is in denial. Politically. I don't see how a mayor or governor doesn't do it. Realistically, it's a waste of money.

"If only they could be strong enough to stand up and say: 'Let's work to see what we could do with this if the base is gone."

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Mallard Fillmore

BY BRUCE TINSLEY



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Java costs in iail

IANSING — Inmates in Michigan's prisons will have to pay for their own caffeine fix next month.

In an effort to save \$250,000 this year, state officials are cutting off the supply of free coffee to inmates at state prisons and people in boot camps and correctional centers

Corrections Department spokesman Russ Marlan said inmates can still buy instant coffee at prison stores, but he didn't know how much they charge. The cost-saving effort begins after March 1.

'We're looking at everything that can reduce costs without jeop ardizing public safety," Marlan said Monday. "There is no nutritional value to coffee

Coach's suicide warning

CO DENVER — A girls basket-ball coach apparently told family members just hours before his jailhouse suicide that he was planning to harm himself, but corrections staff never were alerted.

In a letter sent to the Douglas County Sheriff's Office, District Attorney Carol Chambers said family members presumably didn't think coach Rick Lopez would follow through on his threats.

Lopez was being held on 55 felony counts of sexually assaulting three of his female basketball players, two of whom allege they were younger than 15 when they first had intimate relations with the coach

Grounded for ventilator

ST. PETERSBURG — The trip began like perhaps 20 others Phil Barrett says he had flown on US Airways.

Barrett and his nurse checked in three hours early at Tampa International Airport. A quadriplegic, Barrett told ticket agents he was traveling with a ventilator, he says, and they put a sticker on his shirt to make sure he was seated ahead of the crowd.

But before his flight left the gate Saturday, airline personnel said Barrett had to be carried off the plane. The airline decided that be cause his ventilator was a life-sup port device, it was too risky for him to fly. This week, Florida Attorney Gen-

eral Charlie Crist wrote US Airways chief executive Bruce Lakefield that federal law bans airlines from refusing to transport people with disabilities. The airline said employees followed procedures developed to comply with the Air Carrier Access Act.

Barrett was on his way to Cleve land for surgery to let him breathe on his own

Grisly death

MN ST. PAUL, Minn. — A man accused of killing his longtime girlfriend with a claw hammer during an argument in their apartment was charged with intentional second-degree murder.

Clarence J. Dunn Sr., 49, called 911 Tuesday morning and reported that he had killed 42-year-old Cassandra Jane Koochek by hitting her in the head with a hammer, according to a criminal com-Police who responded to the

woman's apartment found Koochek lying on a bed with a blanket and pillow over her head. A

ing comments made last month by Harvard President Larry Summers. Summers said biological differences may help explain why more men than women excel in science, but has since apologized several times.

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plastic bag also had been placed over her head. Dunn was arrested and taken to a hospital where he was treated for

self-inflicted cuts to his wrists. Guilty of eve gouging

CA A jury has convicted a San Francisco man of aggravated mayhem, torture and assault for gouging out his girlfriend's left

The case gained notoriety when a police officer was killed in a car crash while trying to catch the defendant, Monte Haney, 32.

A jury found Haney guilty of beating Margie Holmes with a radio and a video recorder, then hacking at her back and thigh with

a cleaver before ripping her eye from its socket on June 11, 2002. Haney's defense was that he could not remember the incident because he had been on a drug

Yale women's march

CT NEW HAVEN — More than 100 Yale University graduate students marched to the president's office Thursday to protest what they said is inequitable treatment of women at the Ivv League university.

The students, many of whom are trying to form a union, claim that women are discouraged from getting top tenured positions. They want Yale to release the names of job candidates to help show whether the university is considering women fairly.

The protesters also criticized President Richard Levin for not ioining the presidents of Stanford. Princeton and the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in denounc-



Squirrelly situation Two dogs stalk a squirrel along a

street in Great Falls, Mont.

Weight bill dropped

GA ATLANTA — A Georgia lawmaker who sponsored a bill that would have required public schools to weigh students and list their body mass indices on their report cards says she's dropping the idea.

Rep. Stephanie Stuckey Benfield, D-Atlanta, said calls and e-mails to her office were running heavily against the proposal.

Renfield said she still hones to do something to help with childhood obesity, "but not with this bill."

Among other things, critics said the bill would harm students' self-esteem. "That was certainly never my intent, but I'm sensitive to that." Benfield said.

Samurai sword slashing

ARLINGTON 16-year-old who slashed a classmate in the face with a samurai sword had been on campus more than an hour searching for several other students, police said.

A Lamar High School office worker noticed the freshman walking into the school about 6:50 a.m. Monday carrying an 18-inch sword in each hand. She called security guards on a radio and then dialed

Shortly after the assault in a hallway, school security guards tackled the teen. Police arrived about a minute after the 911 call, accord ing to police records.

The 14-year-old victim, whose name was not released, was treated at a hospital for a 21/2-inch cut on his chin, police said. The suspect, whose name was not re-leased, is being held on suspicion of attempted murder at Tarrant County's juvenile detention center. Police said they don't know a motive. The teen refused to talk with detectives after he appeared before a judge Monday morning

Protester suit thrown out

NH CONCORD — A federal judge has thrown out the threatened with arrest when he dressed as a terrorist outside a polling place last fall.

On Election Day, Joseph Galibois showed up at the polls wearing a black ski mask olive-green ammunition holders and carrying a plastic squirt gun resembling an assault rifle and a John Kerry campaign sign.

By dressing as a terrorist cam paigning for Kerry, Galibois hoped to convince voters that President Bush's anti-terrorism policies were superior to the Democrat's proposals

After several hours, police asked him to leave or face arrest, saying he was alarming voters and caus ing traffic problems.

Galibois later sued Nashua po lice Sgt. John Fisher for violating his free-speech rights by ending his protest. His lawsuit sought \$1 per week until the 2008 presidential election.

Galibois then sued in federal court, where a judge threw out the case Tuesday for jurisdictional reasons



Spc. Edward Chadburn hugs his kids upon Big group hug his return to family and friends in Salt Lake City. The 116th Engineering unit spent the last year serving in Irag.



Tery Price fishes for perch along the banks of Fishy activity Bayou Petit outside Houma, La.



Easily entertained

Kody Priesgen, 8, concentrates as he tries to hit snow chunks with a stick while playing outside after school in Mayville, WI.



High-flying ride am, takes a jump on a practice track in Aurora, Minn

Pit stop

Jimmy Larson, a member of the **Amsoil Snowmobile Racing**



Ferocious history Carl Jara, an exhibit artisan/technician at the Cleveland Museum of Natural History, puts the finishing touches around the velociraptor display.



A flock of Canada geese rest at the Mabaska Wildlife Area west of Ames, near Boone

Holy cheese?!

CA SAN FRANCISCO — The possibly miraculous grilled-cheese sandwich arrived in San Francisco this week, accompanied by bodyguards.

It will only be in the city through the weekend; the sandwich has prior commitments and cannot stay long.

"We're excited to have it." said Ian Iljas, manager of the Ripley's Believe It or Not Museum which is hosting the sandwich during its

The sandwich is said to bear the image of the Virgin Mary in its grill marks. It was cooked 10 years ago by a Florida woman, who sold it in November to an Internet casino for \$28,000. The casino took the sandwich on a nationwide tour out of the goodness of its heart.

"People need to find spirituality these days," said Eric Amgar, the sandwich's advance man. "There's nothing wrong with helping them

Cop becomes suspect

MN ST. PAUL — A Minneapo-lis police officer was jailed this week on suspicion of kidnapning and raning a woman he met at

a health club while he was off duty. David M. Hansen, 28, was arrested Wednesday evening at his home in St. Paul and is being held without bail

Minneapolis Police Chief Bill McManus placed Hansen, who has been on the force about two years, on paid administrative leave once he learned of the allegations.

Mayo Clinic donation

SCOTTSDALE — A local man whose wife died of cancer donated \$5 million to the Mayo Clinic to establish an endowment for research on the disease.

Officials said the gift from Mark Mazzarino, 89, was the largest ever earmarked for research at Mayo Clinic Scottsdale. The former oil company owner's wife, Shirley, died of cancer 45 years ago.

Laser-related arrest

WA LAKEWOOD - King County deputies arrested a 25-year-old man for allegedly shining a laser on jetliners arriving or leaving Seattle-Tacoma International Airport.

The intense light caused no injury or damage. The man, who wasn't named pending possible indictment, could face nine felony charges, officials said.

The FBI and Federal Aviation Administration participated in the investigation.

Gambino phone bust

NEW YORK — Six reputed members of the Gambino crime family pleaded guilty to ringing up more than \$650 million in unauthorized charges on telephone customers' credit cards and phone bills.

The six, led by alleged Gambino captain Salvatore Locascio, pleaded guilty Monday before their trial was to begin on charges including money laundering and conspiracy to commit mail fraud.

They face sentences ranging from less than two years to 10 years in prison and they have agreed to forfeit millions of dollars in proceeds from the scheme

Women awarded \$1M

FL WEST PALM BEACH — Two women who were secretly videotaped under their desks at work were awarded \$1 million each in a lawsuit against their former employer.

A jury found Tuesday that Patti Kidder and Katherine Dean suffered emotional trauma when Ocwen Financial Corp. managers and co-workers teased them about the video footage.

The women claimed they were harassed after a co-worker admitted in 1999 that he put a camera under their desks and sold the video to pornographic Web sites. Kidder said she was called "Patti porn star" and propositioned by a manager.

Man survives crash

MONTROSE — A man survived the crash of a single-engine plane, then spent more than 24 hours stranded in rugged terrain before rescuers found him

The pilot wasn't injured when the single-engine Cessna 172 crashed Wednesday afternoon in powdery snow that was about 8 feet deep, said Civil Air Patrol vol-unteer Mark Young, who is also the Montrose County coroner.

The 58-year-old man, who was the only person onboard, survived freezing temperatures at the 10,000-foot altitude by digging a snow cave. He was hungry and dehydrated when rescuers found him Thursday evening.

Covote attacks woman

MA BARNSTABLE — A Cape Cod woman who was bitten on her left hand is believed to be the first person ever attacked by a rabid covote in Massachusetts, according to state wildlife of-

Cindy Parker-Kelley was attacked by a 45-pound female coy-ote in her back yard Thursday when she went to check on her Norwegian elkhound, Dakota. Her husband, David Kelley, beat the coyote with a piece of lumber, and po-lice later killed it.

The state's only other recorded attack on a human by a coyote also occurred on Cape Cod. A coyote snatched a 3-year-old boy from a swing set in Sandwich in 1998, but his mother intervened and the boy was not badly injured. It's unknown if that covote had rabies

Animal abuser sentenced

MANASSAS — A woman convicted of animal cruelty after an emaciated pit bull was dis covered eating the carcass of another dog in her backvard was sentenced Monday to two days in jail.

Karen Lee Morris, 37, also was barred from ever possessing another companion animal in Virginia as part of a related civil case. City officials had sought a 10-day

jail sentence. Animal control officers found

three pit bulls in the tiny backyard of Morris' townhouse in December. while she was away on a family trip. They saw a thin pit bull cannibaliz-ing the carcass of another pit bull. Judge Craig Johnston said the sen-

tence was "the only way I can ensure that this doesn't happen again."

Stories and photos from wire services

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J Horoscope

The Leo moon is like a peacock among wrens. Its energy is grand, showy and self-important. It grants permission to our emotional selves to strut, pose and, if **Holiday Mathis** need he rant On a nerson. al level, the drama is ignit-

ed And since it is Presidents' Day, the ranting that happens on a political level will be highly publicized

criticized and celebrated TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (February 21). Your favorite people respond to you, too, generating a swir of social fun. You no longer believe the best is yet to

come - the best is what you're doing in the moment, and momen by moment, you turn this year into a big success. Emotional ties you establish in June are lasting. Leo and Sagittarius are excellent romantic choices

ARIES (March 21-April 19). A threat, real or imagined, looms large in your head. Take action to tame this monster. Handle it first so you can get on with your day, giving full

attention (or at least as much attention as possible) to your other duties TAURUS (April 20-May 20). Life feels fragmented into about 10 million pieces. But in reality, you are less disjointed than you think. Clear

clutter at home, and you'll see plainly what else needs to be done. A Virgo helps, too. GEMINI (May 21-June 21). Productivity ebbs and flows. You'll have your Mary Poppins moment, though, and "a spoon full of sugar

really will help the "medicine go down." Try to attack all work in the spirit of fun CANCER (June 22-July 22). It's

like you're playing a game of Madlibs. Everywhere you turn, there's a blank that needs filling in Luckily, you're quite creative. And humorous too — as your friends will later attest. Have fun

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). People will interrupt you all day long if you let them! Control their access to you Choose the hours you'll be available by phone, and don't answer it other than that

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). A

difference of opinion could come

between friends, but it's nothing serious. Helping some one take care of his or her own problems is far more effective than going

out of your way to "fix" things LIBRA (Sept.

23-Oct. 23). It's easier to follow a partner's lead than to come up with your own structure. And there's nothing wrong with that today, as long as you choose a partner who actually knows what he or she is doing

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). You're in the mood to take chances,

and your personal life is just the area to do this in now. Emotionally you're a little tougher than usual and able to risk rejection - but also unlikely to experience it.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec.

21). You may be the only one standing up for what's right. Someone in charge could get drunk with power and lose sight of what's good for everyone. Others will try and ade you, but keep your standards high

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan.

19). One thing at a time. Jumping in with grandiose vision and high expectations may work at other times, but right now, what's really required is a more methodical and practical approach. Focus on the task at hand.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). You may find out that you're not using a resource (this might be a person, a software program or a dub membership) to its fullest capac ity - or not even close! Make an effort to better educate yourself.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). Learn the art of brinkmanshin. Some people don't think about the consequences of taking things to the absolute limit. Let yourself be influenced by their conviction. What seems extreme could be your best

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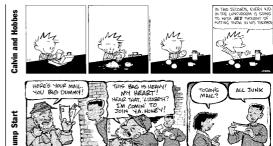
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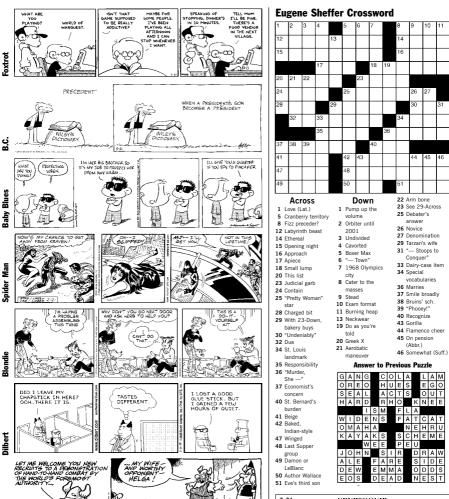












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Today's Cryptoquip Clue: O equals S

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Dear Abby

Dog dispute minor in marriage

Dear Abby: My husband,

"Sam," and I have been together for 12 years, happily married for seven. We get along great, with only one area of major conflict. I am a dog lover. Before we

married. I owned three beautiful springer spaniels. Sam knew that dogs were one of my greatest joys in life. He also knew that living with indoor dogs was important to me, and that I'd like to have be tween three and eight of

them We now have four indoor dogs. One of the dogs I had when I was single died two years ago, and my husband and I have adonted two I'd love to get another one.

but Sam says we have enough. He says the dogs cause wear and tear on our home, and are expensive to maintain, especially since one of them requires medication for a heart problem.

I have a home-based business and enjoy the companionship of their sole caregiver, and although I may not be the greatest keeper, our home is presentable. All of our pets are

obedience school graduates I have offered to compromise I even suggested that we keep any new dogs outside,

although that would break my heart.

My offers have fallen on deaf ears

Please don't think that Sam is jealous of the dogs. That's not the case. He simply doesn't love animals like I do. I'm starting to resent that I can't have another dog because animals mean so much to me.

Please tell me what you think

- Just one More in Maryland Dear Just One More: Unless you want your marriage to end up in the doghouse, please reorganize your priorities. Since you feel the need to care for other dogs, consider donating some of your free time to an animal shelwith open arms, and there would be peace in your household.

Dear Abby: I am 13 and in the seventh grade. I am labeled as "shy" and "quiet" by my teach ers and a lot of the kids at school. But when I'm at home or with close friends, they know differ-

What can I say when teachers say, "Oh, you're so quiet. Why don't you say anything?'

Abby, please let teachers know that these remarks only make matters worse. My mom and some of my friends have had the same experience.

Is there a polite response when people ask me why I'm quiet?

— On the Spot in Alabama Dear On the Spot: Try this: "I never learned anything while talking, but I have learned a lot while listening.

Letters for this column - with your name and phone number — should be addressed to Dear Abby, P.O. Box 69440, Los Angeles CA 90069. Readers can write to Abby on the Internet at

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THAT SCRAMBLED WORD GAME

one letter to each square to form four ordinary words. MEFAI



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HANDS. Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

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Ans: A Saturday's

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(Answers tomorrow)

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Confront withdrawn roomma

Dear Annie: I am a sophomore in college and share an apartment with four other girls. We are seriously concerned about our roommate, "Sherry She never goes to class anymore (she rarely went last year), and she sleeps until 5 p.m. Because she avoids bathing and has done laundry only a few

times this past semester,

she is starting to stink up

the entire anartment More importantly, we are wor ried that her behavior could be a sign of depression. Sherry already is on anti-anxiety medication. We're not really close to her, and if we bring up her mental health. she is likely to become defensive and vell at us.

- Concerned Roommate in Wisconsin Dear Roommate: The four of you must talk to Sherry, even ij

she becomes defensive and yells So what? You can take it, and she needs your help. Tell her she ought to see someone at the school's health clinic and offer to go with her. Give her the Web sites



of the Depression and Bipolar Support Alli-ance (dbsalliance.org) and the National Alli ance for the Mentally Ill (www.nami.org or 1-800-950-NAMI).

Ask if she'd like you to call her parents. Sherry may be relieved to know someone cares enough to confront her. And if she refuses to get help, or you notice that

she is getting worse, talk to a counselor on campus and

Dear Annie: I have disagreed with some of your re

ask for advice.

sponses but never felt strongly enough to write. However, your response to "Confused in Ohio" sent me right through the roof "Confused" said her friend's

elderly father looked at child pornography on the Internet. How could you advise the women to talk to her friend AGAIN, saying, "Grandpa should get counseling before he gets arrested"? You should have told her to get on the phone and re port this to the authorities. Viewing child pornography

supports an industry that has hurt many children and de stroyed lives. Just because the children in the pictures aren't living in his home doesn't excuse his behavior.

— L.T. in California

Dear L.T.: We were thinking that it does little good to offer advice that is not going to be followed. It would have been simple to tell "Confused" to call the police and have them arrest the father of her best friend, but she isn't likely to do it.

We hoped discussing this more emphatically with her friend, telling her that Dad's behavior was not normal, that he could be arrested, and that the grandchil-dren were at risk, would push the family to take action. But many readers agreed with you that "Confused" should call the authorities.

Annie's Mailbox is written by Kathy Mitchell and Marcy Sugar, longtime editors of the Ann Landers column. Please e-mail your questions to anniesmalibox@comcast.net, or write to: Annie's Mailbox, c/o Creators Sync cate, 5717 W. Century Blvd., Suite 700, Los Angeles, CA 90045.

Family Circus



"I'm tired of Old Maid, Daddy. Will you teach us how to play poker?"





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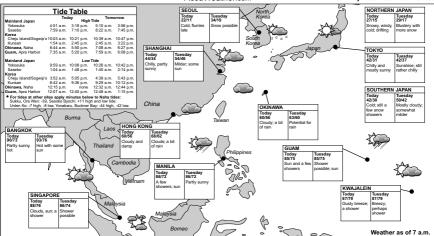




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TOKYO

high 49, low 40.

Wednesday: Partly sunny, high 52, low 38. Thursday: Periods of clouds and sunshine,

KADENA

Wednesday: Showers, high 67, low 60 Thursday: Thundershowers, high 71, low 65.

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Wednesday: Periods of clouds and sunshine high 32, low 19. Thursday: Mostly cloudy, high 42, low 25.

MANILA Wednesday: Periods of clouds

and sunshine high 88, low 74. Thursday: Partly sunny, high 90, low 74.

HAGATNA

Wednesday: Showers, high 87, low 75. Thursday: Showers, high 87, low 77.

Saturday's USA Temperatures

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Albuquerque	58/38	Los Angeles	62/52
Amarillo	68/43	Little Rock	54/48
Anchorage	34/24	Louisville	42/37
Asheville	53/34	Miami	77/63
Baltimore	35/20	Milwaukee	34/27
Birmingham	60/43	Nashville	48/40
Bismarck	17/10	New York	33/22
Boise	45/33	Omaha	41/40
Boston	27/16	Orlando	73/50
Brownsville	78/65	Philadelphia	34/22
Buffalo	27/16	Phoenix	64/52
Burlington	19/4	Pittsburgh	32/21
Charleston, S	C 63/40	Portland, OR	52/34
Charlotte	57/40	Portland, ME	22/12
Cleveland	31/21	Salt Lake City	46/35
Columbus, OH	35/24	St. Louis	44/37
Duluth	17/6	San Antonio	65/61
El Paso	69/47	San Diego	64/56
Hartford	27/13	San Juan	84/70
Helena	37/14	Tampa	76/54
Indianapolis	40/31	Tulsa	55/53
Jacksonville	66/43	Washington, D	C 38/26
Kansas City	47/44	Wichita	53/47
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Monday, February 21

U.S. Extended Forecast

A winter storm will spread snow. sleet and rain into the Great Lakes and Northeast on Monday, with significant snowfall accumulations possible along the I-95 corridor. A developing disturbance along a cold front stretching through the Tennessee Valley will contribute to heavy rain and a few thunderstorms moving from Arkansas and Louisiana westward into the Carolinas later in the day. Much of the East Coast will clear out on Tuesday, but the West will remain unsettled. Some of the snow and rain will spread eastward into the Rockies. Meanwhile, a disturbance over Mexico will move northeastward, crossing the Rio Grande River and moving rain into Texas and Louisiana by Tuesday evening.

Monday's Pacific Temperatures

Monday's World Temperatures

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16. Georgia (20-6) did not play. Next: at Mis-sissippi, Sunday. 17. Temple (21-3) did not play. Next: vs. Dayton, Sunday. 18. Kansas State (17-6) vs. Colorado. Next:

at Nebraska, Wednesday. 19. Iowa State (19-5) lost to No. 7 Baylor 82-77. Next: at Missouri, Wednesday. 20. Maryland (18-6) did not play. Next: at Virginia. Sunday.

irginia, Sunday. 21. North Carolina State (19-5) did not lay. Next: at No. 8 North Carolina, Sunday. 22. Vanderbilt (18-6) did not play. Next: at lorida, Sunday.

23. Wisconsin-Green Bay (22-3) lost to Youngstown St. 60-56. Next: vs. Wiscon-sin-Milwaukee, Thursday. 24. Penn State (17-8) did not play. Next: vs.

Northwestern, Sunday.

25. Boston College (17-7) beat Seton Hall
71-44. Next: at No. 10 Rutgers, Tuesday.

Friday's women's scores

Baptist Bible, Pd. 84, Valley Fi Brandels 56, Emory 52 Brown 76, Penn 69 Cortland St. 70, Brockport 57 Dartmouth 88, Cornell 51

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Louisville 60 Southern Miss. 65
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Minn.-Moorhead 89, Minn.-Crookst Minot St. 73, Si Tanka-Huron 57 Mount Marty 62, Dakota Weslyn 55 Northern St., S.D. 67, Bemidji St. 60 Northwestern, Minn, 60, St. Scholas Pitt.-Bradford 58, Lake Erie 46

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e. oregon bb, W. Baptist 50 Montana St.-Billings 67, Grand Canyon 46 N.M. Highlands 73, Adams St. 68 Pacific, Ore. 59, Whitman 56 Stanford 88, Southern Cal 62

College baseball

Friday's scores

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Central St., Ohio 74, W. New Me:
Centre 77, Oglethorpe 56
Louisville 80, Southern Miss. 65

SCOREBOARD

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Monday

AFN-Atlantic, 2 a.m.-College basketball: Mississippi State at Kentucky (did). AFN ratio Korea, 248 a.m.-Auto racing: AFN sports, 3 a.m.-Auto racing: NASCAR Nextel Cup Daytona 500 pr-race show, AFN-Pactific/Korea, AFN-Sports, 4 a.m.-Auto racing: NASCAR Nex-AFN-Sports, 4 a.m.-Auto racing: NASCAR Nexel Cup Daytona 500. **AFN-Atlantic, 7 a.m.**-College basketball: reams to be announced.
AFN-Pacific/Korea,
AFN-Atlantic,
FN-Sports, AFN radio Korea, 10 a.m. NRA:
III-Star Tipoff

AFN-Pacific/Korea, AFN-Atlantic, AFN-Sports, 10:30 a.m.-NBA: 54th All-Star

ame. AFN-Sports, 5 p.m.-Golf: PGA Nissan Open, final round (dld).

AFN-Sports, 9:30 p.m.-Auto racing:
NASCAR Nextel Cup Daytona 500 (dld).

Tuesday

AFN-Sports, 3 a.m.-College basketball: Wake Forest at Duke (dld). AFN-Sports, AFN radio Korea, 9 a.m.-Col-lege basketball: Notre Dame at Connecticut. AFN-Atlantic, 9 a.m.-Auto racing: NASCAR Busch Grand, National Goody's Headache

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College basketball

AP Men's Top 25 fared

Saturday 1. Illinois (27-0) beat lowa 75-65. Next: vs. Northwestern, Wednesday. 2. Kansas (20-3) lost to lowa State 63-61, 0T. Next: at No. 21 Oklahoma, Monday. 3. Kentucky (19-3) vs. Mississippi State. 3. Kentucky (19-3) vs. Mississippi State. Next: vs. Auburn. Wednesday.
4. North Carolina (22-3) beat Clemson 8. Missis Control Carolina (22-3) beat Clemson 8. Wake Ford Carolina (19-10) vs. Valanto Publy. Next: at No. 75 Wilarova. Wednesday. Next: at No. 25 Villiarova. Wednesday. Next: vs. No. 5 Wake Fords. Sunday. John Next: vs. No. 5 Wake Fords. Sunday. John Next: vs. No. 5 Villiarova. Wednesday.
8. Oklahoma State (20-3) beat Texas Tech 85-56. Next: at Nobraska. Tuesday. co-sb. Next: at Nebraska, fuesday. 9. Syracuse (22-4) at No. 6 Boston College. Next: vs. St. John's, Wednesday. 10. Arizona (22-4) did not play. Next: vs. Or-egon State, Sunday. egon State, Sunday.

11. Michigan State (19-4) beat Purdue
68-57. Next: Vs. No. 20 Wisconsin, Thursday.
12. Louisville (22-4) did not play. Next: vs.
Saint Louis, Sunday.
13. Gonzaga (20-4) vs. San Francisco. Next:
at Portland, Thursday.
14. Utah (23-3) beat Air Force 65-56. Next: 14. Otan (23-3) Beat Air Force 65-56. Next: at New Mexico, Monday. 15. Washington (20-4) at Washington State. Next: vs. Arizona State, Thursday. 16. Alabama (21-4) beat South Carolina 16. Alabama (21-4) beat South Carolina 87-68. Next: at LSU, Tuesday. 17. Pittsburgh (18-4) did not play. Next: at No. 25 Villanova, Sunday. 18. Connecticut (16-6) at Rutgers. Next: vs. No. 25 Villaroya, Suregy,
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Yale 56, Princeton 43
SOUTH
Centre 74, Oglethorpe 72
Fla. Gulf Coast 72, Puerto Rico-Bayamon 44
N.C.-Asheville 83, Coastal Carolina 71
Palm Beach Att. 89, Johnson & Wales, Fla. 49
Troy 85, Jacksonville 73
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1. LSU (24-1) did not play. Next: at Auburn. unday. 2. Ohio State (25-2) did not play. Next: at Oliko State (25-2) did not play. Next: at No. 9 Michipan State, Sunday.
 Duke (24-2) did not play. Next: at Georgia Tech. Sunday (25-2) did not play. Next: at Georgia Tech. Sunday (25-2) did not play. Next: at State (25-2) did not play. Next: at State (25-2) did not play. Next: at State (25-2) did not play. Next: at Next: vs. W. Virginia, Saturday, Feb. 26.
 Tennesse (20-4) did not play. Next: at Arkansas, Sunday.
 Deat No. 19 lowa State 87-27. Next: at Kansas. Wednesday.

2-77. Next: at Kansas, Wednesday. 8. North Carolina (21-3) did not play. Next: "S. North Carolina (21-3) did not play, Next-y, No. 21 North Carolina State, Sunda's Ax-10 Molinan State (23-3) did not play, Yest-son Molinan State (23-3) did not play, Yest-10, Rudgers (26-3) beat No. 5 North Cham-59-48. Next-vs. No. 25 Boston Coll. Tuesders 12-20 Molinan (23-3) did not play. Next- at 12. Depaul (22-3) did not play. Next-son (23-3) did not play.

Wisconsin, Sunday. 15. Texas Tech (18-5) vs. Texas A&M. Next:

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rioriga International 18, LaSalle 0 Florida Southern 23, Bryant 8 Florida St. 12, Saint Joseph's 1 Florida Tech 3, Nova Southeastern 0 Geo. Washington 10, Georgia Southern 5 Georgia 9, Elon 1

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Lindenwood 4, Union, Tenn. 2 LSU 4, Ark-Little Rock 2 Louislana-Lafayette 11, Southern U. 7 Louisliel 3, Kent St. 2 Loyola, N.O. 10, William Carey 9, 12 Innings Meryland 21, K. C. Willington 8 Marin 9, Florida 2 Inc. Wee 2 Miami 9, Florida 2 Inc. Wee 2 Miami 9, Florida 2 Inc. Wee 2 Miami 9, Florida 7 Mobile 8, Spring Hill 7 Montevallo 20, Stillman 1 Nicholis St. 17, Grambling St. 3 North Carolina 17, Seton Hall 0 NC: State 8, San Diego St. 6 N. lowa 11, Centenary 7 Notre Dame 18, Florida A&M 3 Palm Beach Atlantic 9-9, Southeastern.

la. 7-2 Purdue 6, Nicholls St. 1 Rutgers 11, William & Mary 5 St. Leo 2, Eckerd 1 South Carolina 20, Radford 0 SE Louisiana 4, Jacksonville St. 2 S. Illinois 5, New Orleans 2 Southern Miss. 11, Marshall 2

California 3, Long Beach St. 2 Cal Poly-SLO 3, San Francisco 1 Cal St.-Fullerton at Southern Ca CS Northridge at UC Riverside, Creighton 9, N. Colorado 5 Hawaii 10, Pacífic 2

Mawibil 10, Pacific 2 Nebraska 2, Hawaii-Hilo 1 Nevada at UNLV, ppd., rain New Mexico 19, Texas State 5 New Mexico 5t. 32, Chicago St. 4 Sacramento St. at St. Mary's, Cal., ppd., rain San Jose St. at Loyola Marymount, ppd.,

ain
UC Dayls 3, San Diego 0
UC Irvine 9, BYU 6
UC Santa Barbara 7, Fresno St. 5
Utah 7, UCLA 4, 11 Innings
Utah Valley St. 10, North Dakota St. 0
Utah Valley St. 13, Air Force 5
Washington at Santa Clara, ppd., rain
Washington St. 4, Portland 1

Washington St. 4, Portland T TOURNAMENTS Baseball at the Beach Clemson 7, West Virginia 2 Coastal Carolina 11, East Carolina 5 Coastal Carolina 11, East Carolina 5 Charleston Southern Tournament Kentucky 6, Appalachian St. 1 Charleston Southern 11, George Mason 5 Chowan Invitational St. Vincent 8, Apprentice 3 W. Connecticut 15, St. Vincent 7 Coca-Cola classic (Mobile, Ala.) Texas A&M 10, Jacksonville 2

South Alabama 4, Wake Forest 2 Coca-Cola Classic (Houston) Mississippi 5, Lamar 3 Rice 8, SW Missouri 2

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Tennis

Morgan Keegan Championships

Friday
At The Racquet Club of Memphis
Memphis, Tenn.
Purse: Men, \$690,000 (Intl.);
Women, \$170,000 (Tier III)
Surface: Hard-Indoor
Singles
Men

Quarterfinals Kenneth Carlsen, Denmark, def. Jan-Micha-el Gambill, United States, 7-6 (7), 7-5. Max Mirnyi (8), Belarus, def. Antony Du-

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my Haas (2), United States, def. Xavier Tommy Haas (2), United States, def. Xavier Malisse (5), Belgium, 6-4, 6-3. Andy Roddick (1), United States, def. Robby Ginepri, United States, 7-6 (7), 7-6 (2). Women Semifinals Meghann Shauphnessy (3), United States, def. Nicole Valdisova (7), Czech Republic, 7-6 (8), 7-6 (6). Vera Zvonareva (1), Russia, def. Evgenia Li-netskava (8), Russia, 6-4, 6-1.

Diamond Games

Saturday
At Sportspaleis Antwerpen
Antwerp, Belgium
Purse: \$585,000 (Tier II)
Surface: Hard-Indoe: \$585,000 (face: Hard-Ir Singles Semifinals

Amelie Mauresmo (1), France, def. Alicia Molik (4), Australia, 6-3, 7-6 (2). Venus Williams (3), United States, def. Anastasia Myskina (2), Russia, 6-3, 3-6, 6-3.

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Singles
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Son, Swieder, 7-6 (4), 7-5, Roger Federer (1), Switzerland, def. Mario
Ancic, Croatla, 7-5, 6-3.

Brasil Open

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Purse \$380,000 (ntl. Series)
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Alberto Martin, Spain, def. Peter Luczak,
Rafael Nadda (6), Spain def.

Rafael Nadal (6), Spain, def. Ricardo Mello, Brazil, 2-6, 6-2, 6-4.

Auto racing

Daytona IROC

Friday
At Daytona International Speedway
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(Start position in parentheses)
1. (11) Mark Martin, Nextee Lun, 40.
2. (3) Martin Priese Jr., Busch, 40.
4. (10) Mark Martin, Nextee Lun, 40.
5. (5) Buddy Rice, Indy Car. 40.
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5. (6) Buddy Rice, Indy Car. 40.
6. (6) Hello Castroneves, Indy Car, accident, 8.

9. (2) Kurt Busch, Nextel Cup, accident, 36. 10. (7) Scott Pruett, Grand Am, accident,

36. 11. (12) Steve Kinser, Sprint Car, accident, 12. (1) Sebastien Boudrais, Champ Car, ac-cident, 36.

Florida Dodge Dealers 250

Craftsman Truck Series
Friday
At Daytona International Speedwa
Daytona Beach, Fla.
Lap length: 2.5 miles
(Start position in parentheses)
(36) Bobby Hamilton, Dodge,

\$86,850. 2. (21) Jimmy Spencer, Dodge, 100, \$53,925. 3. (6) Todd Bodine, Toyota, 100, \$46,115. (6) Todd Bodine, Toyota, 100, \$46,115.
 (26) Ricky Craven, Ford, 100, \$27,400.
 (31) Ted Musgrave, Dodge, 100, \$25,050.
 (32) Ken Weaver, Chevrolet, 100, \$20,956
 (13) Brad Keselowski, Ford, 100, \$19,850.
 (24) David Starr, Chevrolet, 100, \$18,850.
 (35) Wayne Edwards, Chevrolet, 101, 13,850.

\$17,850. 10. (17) Johnny Benson, Toyota, 100, \$18,300. dent, \$16,765. 16. (2) Dennis Setzer, Chevrolet, 99, acci-dent, \$13,815. 17. (22) Kelly Sutton, Chevrolet, 99, \$15,960. 18. (34) Mike Harmon, Chevrolet, 99. \$16,440.

310,440. 19. (3) Robert Huffman, Toyota, 96, accident, \$15,740. 20. (12) Terry Cook, Ford, 96, accident, \$16,040. \$16,040. 21. (9) Chad Chaffin, Dodge, 95, accident, \$14,540. 22. (5) Tracy Hines, Chevrolet, 90, accident, 23, (18) Steve Park, Dodge, 82, engine fail-ure, \$14,055. 24 (28) Sean Murphy, Chevrolet, 81,

123, (16) 3teve Fair, bodge, az, englier lail-ure, \$14,055. 24. (28) Sean Murphy, Chevrolet, 81, \$14,965. 25. (16) Mike Skinner, Toyota, 73, accident, \$13,865. \$13,865. 26. (27) Ron Hornaday, Chevrolet, 67, \$12,765. \$12,765. 27. (33) Deborah Renshaw, Ford, 66, radia-tor, \$13,640. 28. (29) Brandon Whitt, Ford, 64, \$12,540. 29. (4) Bill Lester, Toyota, 63, accident, \$12,440.

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30. (10) Brendan Gaughan, Dodge, 61, acci-lent, \$12,340. 31. (23) Chase Montgomery, Dodge, 49, ac-ident, \$12,290. 32. (11) Todd Kluever, Ford, 49, accident, 131. (23) Chase Montgomery, Dodge, 48, accident, \$12.30, accident, \$12.30, accident, \$12.30, accident, \$12.40, accident, \$13.50, accident,

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Golf

Nissan Open

Friday At Riviera Country Club Los Angeles Purse: \$4.8 million Yardage: 7,260; Par: 71 (35-36) Second Round

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he Donald 66-7 Stephen Leaney Rocco Mediate Brett Quigley Angel Cabrera Angel Caprera Mark Brooks Michael Allen 68-70-138 72-67-139 Michael Allen J.J. Henry Tim Clark Corey Pavin Chris Riley Mike Weir Jose Maria Olazabal 69-71-140 71-70-141 Brian Bateman Nick Price James Driscoll Billy Andrade Bob Estes ar Uresti Pat Perez Justin Rose Stuart Appl Jay Haas berts Chris DiMarc 70-72-142 Scott Verplank Greg Owen Tom Gillis Steve Allan 70-73-143 Carlos Franco Mark O'Meara 73-71-144 Neal Lancaste 70-74 Heath Slocum Vaughn Taylor Hidemichi Tanaka Rory Sabbatini Jesper Parnevik Matt Gogel Rob Rashell Joe Durant Justin Bolli 75-72-147 76-71-147 Stephen Ames Charles Warre Graeme McDo -147 -147 -147

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At The Club at TwinEagles
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High school scoreboard

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123-Michael - Osan Dy walkover
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124-Michael Doulff, Edgere, Dy walkover
125-Michael - Osan, Demock Revent McDoulff, 454
126-Michael - Osa

148-Victor Lee, Łagren, by walkover 158-Daniel Reid, Osan, pinned Kevin Mc-168-Not contested 180-Aaron Clifton, Osan, decisioned Kiko Bratcher, 9-2 215-Egan Dales, Edgren, decisioned David

eh, 8-5 Heavyweight-Not contested E.J. King 31, Guam High 23 101 pounds-Luigi Deguzman, E.J. King, pinned Robert Lopez, 4:5 108-Mark Morrison, Guam, pinned Kevin

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122 Young Park, Seoul, pinned George GOSS, 185 Sin, Sooul, superior decisioned Kyte Shimabukura, 10-0, 122 Houserior deci-138-john Carbines, Seoul, superior deci-138-john Carbines, Seoul, pinned DJ. Mc-Cary, 23 148-johal O'Connor, Seoul, pinned DJ. Mc-Cary, 23 148-johal Seoul, Pinalison, Seoul, pinned Marque 5000, 200 5000, 200 218-Seoul Turnis, Seoul, pinned Marque 5000, 200 218-Seoul Turnis, Seoul, pinned Marque 5000, 200 218-Seoul Turnis, Seoul, decisioned James Harvweish Randll Pelicleir, Vivina ho Harvweish Randll Pelicleir, Vivina ho Harvweish Randll Pelicleir, Vivina ho

Heavyweight-Randall Pelletier, Yokota, by walkover

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Kadena 42, Robert D. Edgren 6

101 pounds-Chris Hoshaw, Kadena, by

/alkover 108-Zach Reinert, Kadena, by walkover

108-Zach Reinert, Kadena, by walkover 115-Chris Isley, Kadena, by walkover 122-Jake Bloom, Kadena, pinned Kenneth Islowlan, 1:39 129-Louile Lee, Edgren, pinned Brandon Mc-Jollough, 4:41 135-Brenden Stanford, Kadena, by walk-

189-teroden Stantord, Kaberia, Dy Walk-Håt-Austin Copeland, Kadena, decisioned Vincent Doinoff, 5-3
148-lan Copeland, Kadena, decisioned Victoria, Marchael Stantone, Santeriee, Kadena, Superior decisioned Keyin McConadi, 12-0, 1340-90v9
188-Brandon Stouf, Kadena, by walkover 189-Devon Copeland, Kadena, superior decisioned Keyin Maccoland, Santone, Superior decisioned Egan Dales, 10-0, 5-86
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Kubasaki takes Far East dual-meet title on tiebreaker

BY DAVE ORNAUER Stars and Strings

YOKOTA AIR BASE, Japan -Nile C. Kinnick coach Robby Rhinehart tried a calculated gam ble Saturday that almost worked.

That it didn't was solely due to the heroics of Kubasaki 158-pounder Kris Martinez, a "lucky loser" who lost a 5-3 decision to Kinnick's Andrew Brown but avoided being pinned

That spelled the difference when the two most storied programs in the annals of the Far East High School Wrestling Tournament engaged in the closest dual team championship meet in the event's history.

Kubasaki and Kinnick finished with 26 points apiece. Kubasaki claimed the title on the tiebreaker, with three pins to the Red Devils' two.

Kubasaki, stronger at the lower weights, roared ahead of Kinnick 16-4 before the Red Devils charged back to lead 26-22. Dragons heavyweight Paul Haecherl pinned Kinnick's Phil Ergus to create the tie.

Had Brown pinned Martinez, Kinnick would have won 27-25.

"I give credit to him [Martinez] for staying off his back for a whole minute and getting us that team point," Kubasaki coach Terry Chumley said.

"Just stay off my back was all I was thinking," Martinez said of the critical last 60 seconds of his bout with Brown, a surprise substitute for 158-pound individual freestyle champion Yamato Cibul-



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Nile C. Kinnick's Andrew Brown, top, gets the upper hand on Kubasaki's Kris Martinez during Saturday's dual-meet championship at Yokota Air Base, Japan, Brown decisioned Martinez 5-3, and the result loomed large later. The teams tied 26-26, but Kubasaki won the championship on the tiebreaker because it had three pins to Kinnick's two.

ka. "I was looking at the clock the whole time. I was thinking, 'No way I'm giving this up.

That Brown wrestled at 158 pounds instead of his usual 148 was part of Rhinehart's gamble.

As the "home" team, Rhinehart had final say on who would wrestle at each weight against Kubasa-

Thinking that Brown would likely lose to Kubasaki's champion, Steve 148-pound Courtney, Rhinehart opted to give Courtney a walkover victory, move Brown up to 158. Cibulka to

168 and 168-pound runner-up Joev Wood to 180.

Rhinehart thought of that line up change in the moments lead-ing up to the final, but mainly bese of the health of his regular

180-pounder, Chris Sanders, "His [Sanders] ankle was as big as a grapefruit," Rhinehart

"It was a great scheme," Wood said. "That's why I was so calm when we were down. We knew we could come back

Wood and Cibulka recorded technical fall victories, when pins might have saved the Red Devils

"Some people could have pulled off a pin," Wood said. "Every point mattered in that meet. He [Martinez] fought hard and he deserved not to get pinned."

Chumley said she knew "something was up" when nobody went to ring's center to face Courtney and "I saw their 148-pounder warming up.'

After some quick calculating she arrived at a solution.

"I told my guys we needed just one team point," she said. Reggie Barton got the Red Dev-

ils on the board by pinning Kubasaki's 101-pound gold medalist, Jack Abate. The Dragons won the next four

bouts, on pins by Cameron Daugherty (108) and Nic Dennard (115) a walkover victory for 122-pound champion Matt Maza and a technical fall by C.J. Tapang (129).

Kinnick's charge began with a decision victory by Mervin Iban ez (135) and 141-pound champion Kenji Doughty's pinfall victory, cutting the gap to 17-11 and leading to Rhinehart's lineup adjust

Brown, Cibulka and Wood followed with victories. Roderic Thomas (215) won by walkover to give Kinnick a brief 26-22 edge, but Haecherl put Ergus away to tie it at 26-26.

Kubasaki extended its tourna ment record to 20 titles to six for the Red Devils. The Dragons also became the first team in five years to sweep the dual-meet and individual freestyle crowns.

Dopslaf, Burnett prevail in battles of gold medalists

Rhinehart wasn't the only gambler on Saturday. Kadena coach Steve Schrock alternated Bran-Stout and two-time 168-pound champion Devon Copeland at 168 and 180 throughout the day, but the strategy back-fired when host Yokota's fired when host Yokota's 180-pound gold medalist, Zach Donslaf, encountered Copeland.

Dopslaf handed Copeland only his second loss of the season and first in two years in the Far East meet, a 13-3 technical fall in the consolation bracket semifinals Yokota topped Kadena 31-20 and went on to finish in third place.

"I was nervous," Dopslaf said. "I just used double-leg takedowns over and over, to put him on his back. Just be aggressive and keep it going.

And 215-pound gold medalist David Burnett of Zama American finished his season series 2-1 against Scott Tunis, Seoul American's 180-pound gold medalist of

Burnett and Tunis went to overtime tied 1-1. By rule, they had to start overtime clinching each other, and Burnett succeeded in putting Tunis down first for a takedown that made the final 2-1. Seoul American beat Zama and eventually finished fourth.

Burnett became the first Zama American wrestler in 15 years to win the tournament's Outstanding Wrestler award.

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Longtime doormat Pusan hopes to end drought in tournament

BY DAVE ORNAUER

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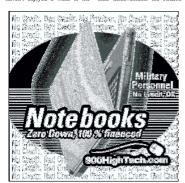
For what's seems like an eternity, the Pusan American boys basketball team has been the main course for lavish victory feasts by league opponents in Korea and in Far East Class A tournaments.

The Panthers, who won their only Class A title in 1983 and haven't enjoyed a whiff of the final since, aim to turn the tables

"I'm convinced we can." Panthers coach Phillip Loyd said.

Loyd has good reason, given Pusan's 14-1 record against Korean-American Interscholastic Activities Conference opposition and 21-4 overall mark.

Loyd's charges count am their achievements the KAIAC



tles, and they even won a Christmas holiday tournament among post intramural teams at Camp Hialeah

It's a major turnaround from the Panthers' days as a doormat. In Loyd's previous two seasons, Pusan went 18-30 and finished sixth and fifth in Class A.

"When I got here, Pusan didn't have a good reputation as a team." Lovd said. "Wherever we went, it was as a stepchild, 'Oh, we have to include Pusan in

What's turned it around, Loyd said, is a core of experienced veterans who've assumed a "can-do" attitude in response to a challenge by Loyd to prove they could get better. "They accepted the challenge that they could become better players," Loyd said.

Inside players Michael Lee and David Ludwig "have grown exponentially and are dependable and come through in big games," he

Then there's the junior playmaker-scorer tandem of Moses Joh and James Edwards, whom Loyd calls "one of the best point guards and one of the best all-around players in the Pacific."

"And we have role players who have accepted their roles and im-proved their skills," Loyd said From the first year, there's a distinct difference. They can all play on somebody's team and contribute valuable minutes."

company-level opposition played an important part in the team's development.

"They embraced us and helped increase our skill level," Loyd said. "It prepares us so that we're not overwhelmed. ... We can withstand the shock of better players, focus and play our ball."

The road to end that 22-year Class A title drought will not be easy - figuratively or literally.

For starters, the Panthers will play their first games outside of Korea this week at Marine Corps Air Station Iwakuni, Japan

"It doesn't matter where, Loyd said. "The court is going to be the same. We can play anywhere with anyone.'

Then there's the challenge of facing 2004 runner-up E.J. King, with 2004 co-MVP Draonne Johnson, along with KAIAC rival Osan American, the rebuilding 2003 champion which remains dangerous with scoring threat Chris Durham

Defending champion St. Paul Christian of Guam brings back many of its components from last season. Faith Academy, a small school which has played at the Class AA level in recent years, returns to Class A for the first time

since 1997

"We have to step up to these guys," Loyd said. "We have antici-

Far East Boys Class A **Basketball Tournament**

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pated this. Can we stay in the ring with these guvs and can we win the championship? We first have to execute on the court. If we answer that question, the second one will take care of itself."

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Austrians sweep men's downhill; Miller places fourth

GARMISCH-PARTENKIRCH-EN, Germany — Michael Walch-hofer won his second World Cup downhill race in two days, leading a 1-2-3 Austrian sweep ahead of Bode Miller on Saturday and closing in on the discipline title.

Walchhofer easily won Friday's downhill and again tamed the Kandahar course finishing in 1 minute, 56.50 seconds for his third consecutive World Cup downhill victory overall.

"It was bumpier and more difficult today," Walchhofer said. "But I did it and it is really satisfying after all the troubles I've had here in the past."

Walchhofer has finally shaken a long, troublesome trend of crashing on the final turn here. In previous races, he'd crashed four consecutive times on the tricky FIS-Schneise, then last season lost a healthy advantage after skidding onto his backside in the turn and finished 16th.

"It looks like I finally learned to ski that turn," Walchhofer said.

Teammate Mario Scheiber was second Saturday (1:56.59) for his first World Cup downhill top-three finish, and reigning Olympic champion Fritz Strobl was third (1:56.95).

World downhill champion Miller finished one spot off the podi-um with a time of 1:57.03 and U.S. teammate Daron Rahlves was

Sports briefs

"I made two mistakes, one that cost me almost a second," said Miller, who led after the first two intervals in Friday's downhill but lost time after going wide coming the bothersome of FIS-Schneise turn and settled for

"The way I've been skiing these days, it's pretty disappoint ing to be making those kinds of

mistakes. It's pretty frustrating." Miller increased his advantage over Austria's Benjamin Raich in the overall World Cup standings. The American has 1,203 points 167 ahead of Raich, who finished 17th in Saturday's race.

Dorfmeister leads Austria's 1-2 finish in women's super-G

ARE, Sweden - Michaela Dorfmeister and Alexandra Meissnitzer gave Austria the top two spots in a wind-swept super-G race Saturday, while world champion and defending World Cup overall champ Anja Paerson fin-

ished fifth before her home fans Dorfmeister skied almost flawessly down the 1,801-meter Olympia course, crossing in 1 minute, 07.53 seconds. It was her second super-G victory of the sea

Meissnitzer was 0.45 behind and Lucia Recchia of Italy took

third, 0.52 back.

"It was a good race, but not perfect," Dorfmeister said. when you ski fast you can make mistakes. I'm surprised the victory margin was so big, because the course is not long. It wasn't easy because the wind was difficult at

Dorfmeister's 19th career World Cup victory moved her within two points of teammate Renate Goetschl in the super-G standings

the top."

Lindsey Kildow of the United States, seventh in Saturday's race, is third in the standings with

326 points. Janica Kostelic of Croatia who won three titles in the world championships, was 0.54 off Dorfmeister's pace and finished fourth. enough to overtake Finland's Tania Poutiainen for the overall

World Cup lead, Kostelic has 928 points: Poutiainen has 909 Raid rescues Urbina's mother from abductors in Venezuela

CARACAS, Venezuela - Venezuelan police stormed a mountain camp and rescued the mother of Detroit Tigers pitcher Ugueth Urbina from kidnappers who demanded \$6 million in ransom. ending an ordeal that lasted more than five months

The raid Friday left at least one of the abductors dead, but 54-year-old Maura Villarreal was unharmed, police said.

Urbina was reunited with his

mother late Friday at a police station in Caracas, where he hurriedly slipped past reporters to go inside, saying only: "I'm happy. Ex-cuse me, but now I just want to

Officers from a special anti-kidnanning unit rescued Villarreal hours earlier from a remote mountainous area in the southern state of Bolivar, said Joel Rengifo, the chief officer in the division.

"It was a clean and well-planned operation," said Rengifo, who added that Villarreal was unharmed.

The major leaguer's mother, who had been missing since she was kidnapped from her home Sept. 1, told reporters the experience was "unexpected - I never thought they would kidnap me.

"You can't say they treated me either well or poorly. The most hurtful thing was having to hear them saying that my son didn't love me because he didn't pay. Villarreal said.

Prosecutors toughen charges against former lowa star

IOWA CITY, Iowa - Prosecu tors filed tougher charges Friday against former Iowa basketball player Pierre Pierce in connection with an alleged assault on his former girlfriend last month

The new charges, which super sede six previous counts filed last week, include two counts first-degree burglary, one count

sexual assault and one count of fourth-degree criminal mischief.

Police say Pierce, 21, choked his former girlfriend in her townhouse, threatened her with a knife and stripped her after an argument over her new boyfriend. Pierce also is accused of causing damage to her apartment and stealing a laptop and camera.

The amended charges mean Pierce is charged with three felonies, instead of one, and could face up to 56 years in jail if convicted. Arraignment is set for March 4.

LeBron bails on dunk contest DENVER - LeBron James is

taking a pass on the NBA's All-Star dunk contest. James ended days of specula-

tion Friday by deciding to sit out the competition because of a sore left ankle and lingering flu symp-

"I'm still a little sick and my ankle's still a little tender." James said. "I'm not getting as much lift as I know I can get off this ankle. I'll be there in attendance but I

won't be participating in it.' James still plans to play on the sophomore team in the Rookie Challenge and as a starter for the East in the All-Star Game.

Competing in the dunk competition will be rookie Josh Smith of Atlanta, J.R. Smith and Chris Andersen of New Orleans and Amare Stoudemire of Phoenix.

Carroll hopes to close Pusan run with Class A title

BY DAVE ORNAUER Stars and Strines

Call it a family affair.

The final installment of Pusan American School's 16-year reign as host of the Far East High School Girls Class A Basketball Tournament has the name Carroll stamped all over it:

■ Jerry and Corina Carroll serve as the tournament's organizers, taking over for the tournament's founding father. Don Miller, who has transferred to Lakenheath, England, Corina works at the school as an administrative aide; Jerry is the Nike representative in Pusan.

■ Their son, Jerry, works for Hoop Scoop, the daily flyer published by the school's stu-dent-iournalist staff. ■ And daughters Cassie. a

freshman guard, and senior guard Brieanna play for the tournament's host team, the Pusan American Panthers

What better way to end that tournament-host run than for the Panthers to capture the school's first Class A title since 1994?

While stopping well short of predicting such a feat, reigning MVP Briegnna Carroll feels the Panthers are in excellent position to far exceed their seventh-place finish of last year, and perhaps reach center court.

"The Panthers are preparing for a fight," said Carroll, a three-sport star who's earned All-Class A honors twice in basketball and three times in soccer but has never played for a Class A title team

Her team went 9-5 in the Korean-American Interscholastic Activities Conference regular season and now wants the biggest prize of all.

"We're all dreaming that, All of us talk about it every day," Carroll said. "If each one of us brings our 'A' game, we'll be competi tion for any school there, for As the smallest Department of

Defense Dependents School in the Pacific, Pusan American's ninth- through 12th-grade enroll ment averages between 45 and 50 and the Panthers have had to augment their roster over the vears with seventh and eighth

Not so this year. Second-year coach Jonathan Parker has a full lineup of high school-age players, and the school even has a junior varsity program for the first time.

While Brieanna Carroll has been one of the team's centerpiece players for four years, the Panthers boast a solid core of supporting players, including guard Shabraya Hayes and center Kristine Meany, both freshmen.

"They're older. They've really stepped up this year. They've got-ten a lot more serious," Carroll said. "I'm happy to have them as teammates.

While the Panthers may not have the best talent and depth in the 12-team tournament, "we can

win on hustle, if each of the girls goes out with the mind-set that they're going to outhustle the other team," Carroll said. "And hustle is what we plan to do."

They'll have to

of teams with winning traditions or designs on forming ones of

■ Taegu American, which has ever won the title, has perhaps its strongest team ever, loaded with veterans such as guard Ashley Gooch, scorer Lynette Grant and rebounder Kelli Cox and with enough juniors to make a run next year as well. Privately, DODDS officials say Taegu American likely will assume tournament host duties in 2006.

■ International School of the Sa cred Heart of Tokyo returns to defend its title, not as deen as it was a year ago, but still boasting veterns such as senior floor general Mari Look and junior rebounder Alecia Wallingford.

Faith Academy of the Philippines, the 2003 champion, returns after moving up to the Class AA level. Though their star triad of Tami Burke, Hayley Shaw and Jessica Nelson has graduated, the Vanguards went 19-2 in league play this season.

Perhaps hungriest of all is Korea's Osan American Cougars The 2001 and '02 champions just missed in the last two finals. And as is the case with Brieanna Carroll, time is running out for Cougars seniors guard Sharon Kroening, senior forward Mina Davis 6-foot-4 junior Margaret

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"I know both Sharon and I want to make this last year memora-ble," Davis said. "Having Marge on our team is a big plus. We all want this just as badly as everyone else. It just depends on who works harder."

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Bruschi's return to NFL is uncertain

BY JOHN ALTAVILLA The Hartford Courant

Considered the heart and soul of the New England Patriots' defense, Tedy Bruschi, married and the father of three young sons, undoubtedly faces the greatest challenge of his life now that he's been discharged from Massachusetts General Hospital.

"This is a major life event. said Dr. Isaac Silverman, Medical Director of the Stroke Center at Hartford Hospital. "At the very least, it's prone to make you wonder about one's health, especially for someone so young

Two days after having a mild stroke, Bruschi was released from the hospital Friday afternoon, barely two days after he was admitted, which is not unusual in many cases.

"At the very least that's a nositive sign that the injury was comparatively mild," Dr. Silverman said

The uncertainty that surrounded the onset of his stroke will likely characterize his prognosis for a total recovery - and return to the

— in the months to come. Various medical experts conclude it's too early to tell if Brus-chi will be able to play, although they say reports detailing his responsiveness while hospitalized

indicate the chances are better. "There's no reason to believe that he wouldn't be able to play again," said Dr. Hilary Onyiuke, chief of neurosurgery at the Uni-



New England linebacker Tedy Bruschi, left, and his wife, Heidi, leave a hospital on Friday. Bruschi had a mild stroke and his ability to play football next season will be determined in a few months.

versity of Connecticut Medical

Center.
Dr. Onviuke cautioned that if Bruschi is eventually placed on blood thinners to aid the healing of an arterial dissection, one of the possible causes of the stroke. it would be unlikely he could play because of the danger of uncontrolled bleeding in case of injury.

According to an NFL medical source who spoke on condition of anonymity. Bruschi faces a long road of tests, perhaps two to three months, before doctors can determine the damage that has been

"But once he's cleared to play, if he's ever cleared to play, he'll be the first one to know what's going on with his body," the source said. "He'll know what the damage is and what the impact has been

If Bruschi wants to play, accord-ing to the source, he'll also likely be asked to legally exonerate any treating physician from a possible malpractice suit before he's allowed back on the field.

Despite signs of progress, NHL talks yield nothing

With Gretzky, Lemieux present, negotiations stall Saturday

By IRA PODELL

The Associated Press

NEW YORK - Even with Wayne Gretzky and Mario Lemieux at the bargaining table, the NHL and the players' association weren't able to come to an agreement Saturday that would un can cel the hockey season.

NHL chief legal officer Bill Daly told The Associated Press that no progress was made in the 61/2-hour meeting. No new talks have been scheduled.

Just three days after the season was called off because of the protracted lockout, the NHL and the union restarted talks at 9 a.m. EDT Saturday at an undisclosed location in New York.

NHL Commissioner Gary Bettman and players' association evecutive director Bob Goodenow were not at the meeting, two sources close to the negotiations told The Associated Press on condition of anonymity.

However, Gretzky, the managing partner of the Phoenix Coy-otes. and Lemieux, the player-owner of the Pittsburgh Penguins, joined the talks aimed at getting a deal done that could save the season, the sources said.

Gretzky and Lemieux were joined on the owners' side by Daly and outside counsel Bob Batterman while the union was renresented by NHLPA senior director Ted Saskin, director of business relations Mike Gartner, players' association president Trevor Linden, vice president Vincent Damphousse, and outside counsel John McCambridge.

The union denied online reports Friday night that an agreement had been reached on a \$45 million salary cap. An NHLPA spokesman told The Associated Press in an e-mail that the report was "absolutely false.

On Wednesday, Bettman canceled the season, saying it was too late to play any semblance of a schedule. That made the NHL the first major North American sports league to lose a full season to a labor dispute.

In a statement released Friday night, the players' association said the NHL made the offer late Thursday night to get together.

There hadn't been any official contact between the NHL and the players' association since Tuesday night - when the sides traded what they said were final of-

All proposals were rejected, and Bettman canceled the seasor in a news conference Wednesday. Bettman said in a letter to Good-

enow on Tuesday that the league's salary-cap proposal of \$42.5 million was as far as he could go and that there was no time or flexibility for negotiation. Goodenow sent a letter back.

proposing a soft cap at \$49 million that could be exceeded by as much as 10 percent by teams twice during the course of the six-year deal It appeared there was momen-

tum toward reaching a deal because the sides were only \$6.5 million apart on their numbers for a cap ceiling. But talking ceased after each side sent two letters to the other on Tuesday night. There were big breakthroughs

Monday in Niagara Falls, N.Y. The NHL agreed to drop its demand that player costs be linked to league revenues, and the union, in turn, came off its steadfast opposition to a salary cap. Bettman said the NHL couldn't

afford the union's final proposal and said if all 30 teams spent \$49 million on player costs, then more money would be paid out to players than last season.

The commissioner said that teams lost more than \$1.8 billion over 10 years, the last time a colhargaining agreement lective was reached. The previous lockout cut the 1994-95 regular season to 48 games

NHL clubs claim to have lost \$273 million in 2002-03 and \$224 million last season.

Bettman said a deal would have to be in the drafting stages by the end of last weekend if there was going to be time to play a 28-game season and a standard 16-team postseason.

Prospective Vikings owner apologizes for résumé gaffes

BY DAVE CAMPBELL The Associated Press

BLOOMINGTON Minn Reggie Fowler apologized Friday for mistakes he made in mis-leading the public about his background and reiterated he has the money to buy the Minnesota Vikings. The Arizona businessman,

poised to become the INT LOTAL black owner, has an agreement to purchase the club from Red proval Fowler met with the Twin Cit-

ies media to accept responsibility for inaccuracies in a biogra-phy distributed earlier this week by a public relations firm he's using, attempt to repair his image and pledge his sincerity and passion to fans.

His original bio claimed he played in the NFL with the Cincinnati Bengals, in the Canadian Football League with the Calgary Stampeders and in the Little League World Series as an 11-year-old

Fowler, a star linebacker at Wyoming, was cut in training camp by the Bengals and by the Edmonton Eskimos — not Stampeders. Clarifying the Little League confusion. Fowler said

he played with an all-star team in a tournament in California that was called the World Series.

Though he refused to declare any parts of the botched bio embellishments or deceptions, Fowler acknowledged that he intentionally doctored his resume years ago — to show he graduated from Wyoming with a degree in business administration and an emphasis in finance

Fowler, who took business classes but actually received a degree in social work, said he fudged his résumé after graduating in the early 1980s to look better for prospective employers.

Regarding the CFL confu Fowler said he remembered Thursday — by looking at a W-2 form — that he reported to Calgary initially before being sent to Edmonton, where he was cut after a brief stint.

The biography came from his office in Chandler, Ariz., where Fowler runs Spiral Inc., a business that has numerous real estate holdings and owns companies in several industries.

Estimating the last time he created a résumé was more than 20 years ago, Fowler said the errors - other than the degree discrepancy - came from

Martin wins record 12th IROC race

The Associated Press DAYTONA BEACH, Fla.

Mark Martin became the winningest driver in IROC history, moving past the late Dale Earnhardt and Al Unser Jr. by taking the season-opening race Friday at Daytona International Speedway. Martin earned his 12th Interna-

tional Race of Champions victory by passing fellow NASCAR Nextel Cup star Matt Kenseth on a restart with four laps remaining. Then Martin held off Martin Truex Jr. over the final laps and heat him to the finish line by half of a car length.

"The king of IROC won the race, and I'll finish second to him anytime" said Truex, the NASCAR Busch Series champion making his IROC debut.

Bobby Hamilton, NASCAR's truck series champion, was third Kenseth ended up fourth after leading 31 of the first 36 laps in the 40-lan event.

Kenseth was in front when the race was halted for about 10 minutes after a multi-car accident that included IndyCar star Helio Castroneves, 19-time World of Outlaws champion Steve Kinser. Grand American Road Racing driver Scott Pruett and Champ Car's Sebastien Bourdais



Martin started the melee when he ran into the back of Kenseth. causing the 2003 Cup champion to slow and sparking a series of Kinser ran into Pruett, who then

snun into the wall and took Bourda. is with him. Castroneves, second to Kenseth for much of the race, also was caught up in the mess Kenseth, the defending IROC

champion, looked primed to win his third consecutive race. But World of Outlaws driver Danny Lasoski bumped him on the restart, forced him to wiggle and allowed Martin to drive by on the outside. Martin held on from there to secure the record.

"I thought about that on that restart. That's pretty special." Martin said. "If you race enough and you run good enough and you try hard enough, your day will come It seems like I have had luck all the time, but we didn't tonight.

Hamilton wins wild truck race

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla. Bobby Hamilton was standing on pit road and Jimmy Spencer was celebrating in Victory Lane.

Then they switched positions Hamilton was awarded a victo in the wreck-filled Florida Dodge Dealers 250 on Friday night at Daytona International Speedway after Spencer initially took the checkered flag and drove

It was the perfect ending for a frenzied race that included countless lead changes, several major crashes and two flipping trucks. "That was pretty wild," Hamil-

into the winner's circle

Hamilton took the lead after a restart with one lap to go, but Spencer was back in front when an eight-truck wreck started behind the leaders. However, be-fore the caution flag came out, Hamilton moved back in front.

NASCAR officials quickly changed the result, but not after Spencer had made his way to Victory Lane Spencer smiled and shook his head after he was told the news.

"It was almost a no-brainer Hamilton said. "I pretty much knew it. I had confidence in what was going to happen

The defending series champion nicked up his ninth career truck victory and became the series first driver to win from the last starting spot.

Boss impressed with 'cleaned up' Johnson

The Associated Pres

The Big Unit met his new employer. The Boss.

pioyer, the Boss.

Randy Johnson was sitting at his locker after Friday's workout, in Tampa, Fla, talking to reporters, when New York Yankees owner George Steinbrener walked into the clubhouse and greeted the five-time Cy Young Award winner for the first time since adding him to his pinstriped collection of All-Stars.

"Hi, big man," Steinbrenner

"How you doing, Mr. Steinbrenner?" Johnson responded.

"Glad you're here. Glad you're cleaned up, and glad you're here." Steinbrenner said.

Johnson was puzzled.
"I haven't cleaned up. I haven't even taken a shower yet," he said. "I know," Steinbrenner, "but I

mean —"
Then, the Big Unit realized The
Boss meant that Johnson had
trimmed most of his facial hair to

conform to Steinbrenner's rules.
A few minutes earlier, New York manager Joe Torre pretty much said Johnson will start the season opener against Boston on April 3 at Yankee Stadium, a game that possibly will match the Big Unit against former Arizona teammate Curt Schilling.

"It's not a bad guess," Torre said. "And the reason that I'm not officially saying that is because when we do tell you that, I really want to be in a position to tell the guy who is pitching two, three, four and five at the same time."

Spring training

Meanwhile, in Fort Myers, Fla., Boston kept up the attacks on the Yankees, with Bronson Arroyo joining Schilling, Trot Nixon and David Wells in the criticism of Alex Rodriguez. Arroyo said the Yankees third baseman "was out of line" when Arroyo hit him with a pitch on July 24 and his reaction

helped spark a brawl.
And catcher Jason Varitek said,
"I don't need to boast" about workout habits. That's what Rodriguez
did in an interview last month.
John Henry, owner of the 2004
World Series champions, tried to

downplay the talk.
"It's just natural," he said during the first official workout for
pitchers and catchers. "The rivalry is the biggest in sports and
you're going to have people on
both sides saying things, like myself, like Tm prone to do. I'll try to

avoid that today."
Henry said the Red Sox may give players their World Series rings at a separate ceremony rather than before their home opener

April 11 against the Yankees. The Chicago White Sox's biggest issue is the health of The Big Hurt.

Frank Thomas hasn't recovered from ankle surgery and will not report to the White Sox along with other position players Monday.

White Sox General Manager Ken Williams had said the two-time American League MVP was expected to report with the the position players. Pitchers, catchers and a handful of other players reported Wednesday.

"I am disappointed for him," manager Ozzie Guillen said in Tucson, Ariz. "We want to have him here, but I knew this was going to happen. ... That is why I prepared myself and my team to move on without Frank. When Frank is here, we will take care of him."

Thomas had a bone graft and two screws inserted on Oct. 6 to repair a partial stress fracture of his left ankle, injured while fielding a grounder June 17.

A decision on Thomas' return will be made after he meets with doctors the first week of March.

In Kissimmee, Fla., Tim Hudson was getting used to his first full spring training with the Atlanta Braves. He had spent his entire major league career with Oakland, where he pitched alongside Mark Mulder and Barry Zito, before was dealt to the Braves on Dec. 16.

"This clubhouse is a lot different," Hudson said. "Our clubhouse in Oakland was more of a frat house, and here it's all business. I guess that's why the Braves have been as successful as they've been."

In Peoria, Ariz., San Diego Padres manager Bruce Bochy chose Woody Williams as his Opening Day starter.

Williams, who signed as a free agent this offseason, got the nod over Jake Peavy for the game in Colorado on April 4. Peavy, the major league ERA leader (2.27)



New York Yankees pitcher Jaret Wright, left, gestures as he chats with Kevin Brown, center and Randy Johnson during workouts on Friday.

last season, will start the home opener against Pittsburgh on April 7

"The guy has your best year on the staff, and to have that home opener is a rewarding thing, too." Bochy said. "It's an Opening Day; it's just on the road versus at home. It will be good for the fans to see Jake go at home."

In Scottsdale, Ariz, manager Felipe Alou was happy the Giants got through their first day of work-outs with no rain. It rained late Thursday, then a downpour hit Friday afternoon — and the wet weather was expected to continue into early next week. The Giants put their tary down in Scottsdale

Stadium just in time.

But San Francisco's first practice went off without a hitch.

"We had a good day. No rain," Alou said. "The field was dry enough to keep our Plan A in order." In Dunedin, Fla., John Gibbons

In Dunedin, Fla., John Gibbons was looking forward to his first spring training as Toronto's manager.

"The Blue Jays have shown confidence in me," said Gibbons, promoted from first-base coach to interim manager last summer, then given the job for good in October. "They gave me this opportunity, so I owe them something, and I plan to take advantage of it."

Campbell leads as heavy rain threatens to wash out Nissan

The Associated Pres.

LOS ANGELES — Heavy rain that flooded bunkers and covered greens with thousands of worms forced officials to cancel golf Saturday in the Nissan Open, raising the possibility of the PGA Tour's first 36-hole event in nearly nine years.

"Our main goal is to get 36 holes in," PGA Tour tournament director Mark Russell said.

Even that might be wishful thinking. Some rain is in the forecast Sunday, with more heavy showers expected on Monday. The Match Play Championship, a \$7.5 million World Golf Championship, is scheduled to start Wednesday down the coast at La Costa.

This was the first washout on the PGA Tour since no golf was played in the second round of the Match Play Championship last year.

Russell said there is still slight hope for a 72-hole tournament, but even going to a Monday finish to get in 54 holes requires a break from the dreary skies over Sunset Boulevard.

Brian Davis of England has not hit a shot since he opened with a 65 for the first-round lead on Thursday.

Only half of the 144-man field completed the second round Friday, with Chad Campbell at 9-under 133 and leading Robert Allenby by three shots at Riviera Country Club.

None of the others made it even halfway through the round Friday when



play was suspended by darkness. They are to return at 7:30 a.m. PDT Sunday to resume — or in the case of Davis, begin

the second round.

Kevin Sutherland birdied two of his first four holes and was at 6-under.

Tiger Woods can't buy a break at Riviera. He finally got off to a good start at his hometown PGA Tour event — the only tour event he only tour event he has played at least four times without winning — and it might not even count. Woods was 5-under for the tournament with 14 holes left in his second round.

Thongchai leads by six in Malaysia

KUALA LUMPUR, Malaysia — Defending champion Thongchai Jaidee of Thailand shot 5-under 67 on Saturday to take a six-stroke lead in the Malaysian Open

Thongchai's 19-under 197 total matched the second-lowest 54-hole score in Asian golf history.

India's Jyoti Randhawa shot 65 at the Saujana Golf and Country Club course and was second at 13-under. Sweden's Ireland's Padraig Harrington (67) was among a threesome at 12-under.

Eaks, MuCullough pace seniors

NAPLES, Fla. — Curtis Strange got off to a slow start in his Champions Tour debut, shooting a 2-over 74 to fall eight



Unplayable bunkers and worm-covered greens wiped out play Saturday in the Nissan Open. Half the field has yet to complete two rounds, and more rain is forecast for Sunday and Monday.

strokes behind first-round leaders R.W. Eaks and Mike McCullough in the ACE Group Classic.

Strange had four birdies, four bogeys and a double bogey. The two-time U.S. Open champion, a television analyst for most of the past eight seasons, won 17 PGA Tour titles, highlighted by 1988 and 1989 U.S. Open victories.

Hale Irwin, coming off a victory in Hawaii, opened with a 67, and Ron Streck, Wayne Levi, Jim Thorpe, Jerry Pate and Leonard Thompson had 68s. Defending champion Craig Stadler shot 73.

Game: No theme attracting fans this time around

GAME FROM BACK PAGE

The big event is the All-Star Game itself, and if's wide open in terms of being there for the taking for someone who wants to stamp it with his own signature. Shaquille O'Neal did so last year in Los Angeles with just the right mix of playfulness—grooming himself in the lens of a camera during a stopage in play, running a fast break all by himself, this playfulness of the control of a collision with his So0-pound frame.

"Guys get to do stuff they're not supposed to do, and it's a show," Shaquille O'Neal said. "Last year I won the MVP on silliness alone."

Last year's game had a clear theme, with then-teammates Kobe Bryant and Shaquille O'Neal playing in front of their home crowd in Los Angeles amid speculation over which of them might leave and which might stay.

Two years ago, the game in Atlanta was all about saying goodbye to Michael Jordan. "It doesn't get old," Shaquille O'Neal said.

But will it be interesting? And will a theme emerge? Larry Brown figures those factors will take care of themselves — just as they did 29 years ago when the ABA had his final All-Star years ago when the ABA had his final All-Star Notice of the control of the co

"That was a pretty amazing weekend," Brown said. "It was one of the most enjoyable experiences I've ever had."

No. 2 falls again as Iowa St. stays hot

BY DOUG TUCKER The Associated Press

LAWRENCE, Kan. - The Iowa State Cyclones are well past

their humble goal of stopping an embarrassing six-game losing streak.

Now they're beating ranked teams on the road and riding a season-saving, seven-game winning streak. And after starting the Big 12 season 0-5, they're ready to settle for nothing less than an NCAA tournament bid.

Curtis Stinson scored 29 points, including the game-winner in the lane with 5.1 seconds left in overtime and the Cyclones nulled off their most improbable victory yet, stunning No. 2 Kansas 63-61 on Saturday. Stinson had all seven of Iowa State's points in overtime.

The end of the Jayhawks 32-game conference home winning streak could eventually cost Kansas a No. 1 seed in the NCAA tournament, a field the Cyclones believe they should be a part of.

"Beating the No. 2 team at home. It is not better than that, said Stinson, whose injured left hand kept him off the floor for the opening 4:25 of the game.

"I hurt it in practice, husky sophomore guard said. "I hit it again tonight. I am a compet-

itor and I am going to play hard." The Jayhawks (20-3, 10-2) erased a nine-point deficit in the last 2 minutes of regulation. But all game long they had no answer for Stinson or Iowa State's aggressive 2-3 zone and they finished with a season-low point total.

Stinson hit a short jumper over Keith Langford for the game-win-

ner "He is great," Kansas coach Bill Self said. "We had no answer for Curtis Stinson.

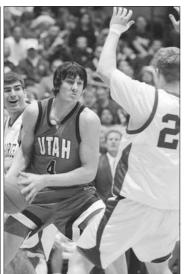
Five days after losing by one point in double overtime at Texas Tech, the Javhawks shot only 34.5 percent and were 4-for-23 from beyond the three-point arc.

"Offensively, we didn't have any rhythm at all," Self said. "We were out of sync all day. These guys have performed at a high level for a long time but today we were as poor as we can be offensively

The Cyclones (15-8, 7-5) have beaten Texas, Texas Tech, Oklahoma and Kansas — all ranked teams - during the streak and won three conference road games after not winning a league game away from home for almost four

"I thought my kids played their hearts out the whole game." Cvclones coach Wayne Morgan said. "They didn't give up and they kept fighting. Not a lot of teams come in here and win.'

Stinson's winning shot came right after Langford missed two throws. Langford then missed a desperation 17-footer just before the buzzer.



Utah's Andrew Bogut slips between Air Force forwards Marc Holun left, and Jacob Burtschi on the way to the basket during the first half of Saturday's game. The 14th-ranked Utes beat Air Force 65-56.

7 feet of trouble

Utah center too much for Falcons: Bucknell hands Army 21st defeat

AIR FORCE ACADEMY, Colo. Andrew Bogut scored 20 of his 23 points in the second half Saturday and No. 14 Utah beat Air Force 65-56 for its 18th straight victory and clinched the Mountain West Conference title.

In what may have been the most impressive victory of a streak which began Dec. 17, the Utes (23-3, 11-0 Mountain West) snapped Air Force's 24-game

home winning streak. Air Force (15-10, 6-4), ranked 104th in the latest RPI ratings. lost a chance for a quality victory it dearly needed to make the NCAA tournament for the second straight year. The Falcons, who came in with a half-game lead over Wyoming for second place, are now fighting for seeding for conference tournament. which they mighthave to win to get into the NCAA field.

Jacob Burtschi had 15 points for the Falcons all in the first half before Bogut started taking over on both ends of the floor.

The 7-foot Australian scored eight points during a 10-0 run that gave Utah a 36-32 lead and set the tone to open the second half.

He altered shots on defense and generally frustrated Air Force, which by slowing things played into Bogut's hands.

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on top 53-45 with about 2 minutes left, Bogut al-

Nick tered Welch's shot, then blocked Dan Nwaelele's attempt after the rebound - a typical sequence for the IItes who allowed only three field goals over the first 15 minutes of the second half.

Bryant Markson scored 15 points and Marc Jackson had 12 for Utah, which has the second-longest winning streak in the nation, behind only top-ranked Il-

linois' 27 Welch also had 15 points for the Falcons, whose last home loss came March 3, 2003, to Utah

Bucknell 69, Army 55: At West Point, N.Y., Charles Lee scored 22 points and Kevin Bettencourt 14 for Bucknell (18-8), which took control with runs of 18-2 in the first half and 24-9 in the second.

Army (3-21) led 13-8 only to have the Bison build a 26-15 lead as Lee hit two three-pointers. Army was within 30-24 at halftime, but Bucknell built a 54-33 margin over the first 11 minutes

of the second half. Matt Bell led Army with 23 points. Grant Carter and Jarell Brown added 11 points apiece.

It's 27 and counting for unbeaten Illinois

IOWA CITY, Iowa - Deron Williams and Dee Brown each 18 points and Illinois turned back repeated threats by Iowa on Saturday to beat the Hawkeyes 75-65.

Illinois (27-0, 13-0 Big Ten) survived foul problems, a determined opponent and a subpar game by leading scorer Luther Head to keen several streaks intact. In addition to the nation's longest winning streak, the Illini have won 23 straight conference games and 14 in a row on the road.

Iowa (16-9, 4-8) fell to 1-4 since leading scorer Pierre Pierce was kicked off the team for disciplinreasons. The Hawkeyes trailed by just two points with 41/2 minutes to play before Illinois' 14-5 run finished it

Every Illinois starter had at least three fouls and forward Roger Powell, who was whistled four times, was limited to 15 minutes. James Augustine added 13 points for the Illini, while Head. averaging 16.9, managed just seven on 1-for-7 shooting.

Adam Haluska led Iowa with 20 points, Greg Brunner had 15 and Jeff Horner 12.

Trailing by 12 early in the second half, Iowa kept clawing and got within two points three times, the last at 60-58 on Mike Henderson's two free throws with 4:34

Nick Smith made two free



throws, Williams hit a 10-footer and the ultra-quick Brown scored on a breakaway to make it 66-58. After Horner's three-pointer, Brown answered with a deep three of his own. When the 7-foot-2 Smith made a three-pointer from the right corner - his second of the season -- with 51 seconds to play, the Illini were up 72-63 and were, finally, out of dan-

No. 4 North Carolina 88. Clemson 56: At Chapel Hill, N.C., Jawad Williams scored 17 points and sixth-man Marvin Williams added 14 as North Carolina won its 51st straight without a loss at home against Clemson.

Clemson's futility in Chapel Hill is the longest active losing streak in the country. Penn holds the record with 52 straight home victories over Brown.

Sean May finished with 12 points and 13 rebounds for the Tar Heels (22-3, 10-2), who moved into a first-place tie with Wake Forest in the Atlantic Coast Conference.

Sharrod Ford led Clemson (12-13, 2-10).

No. 8 Oklahoma St. 85, Texas Tech 56: At Stillwater, Okla., John Lucas III scored 25 points and JamesOn Curry had 10 of his

15 in the second half as Oklahoma State pulled into a tie for the Big 12 lead with No. 2 Kansas.

Curry scored 10 points during a 14-2 run that helped Oklahoma State (20-3, 10-2) pull away early in the second half. Curry hit a three-pointer from the right wing to start the run and Lucas added a fast-break layup, then slashed across the lane on the Cowhovs' next possession and passed the ball to Ivan McFarlin, who dunked it with two hands.

Curry added a jumper from the right wing and a long three-pointer from beyond the top of the key before finishing the run with right-handed jam on a fast break to make it 54-32 with 13:29 to play.

Lucas stretched the lead to 67-40 with a three-pointer.

No. 11 Michigan St. 68. Purie 57: At West Lafayette, Ind., Alan Anderson and Maurice Ager each scored 12 points as the Spartans ruined the day on which retir-Boilermakers coach Gene Keady was honored for his 25 seasons at Purdue. Michigan State (19-4, 10-2 Big

Ten) won its fifth straight by limiting Purdue to 36.8 percent shooting and outscoring Purdue 10-0 on the fast break. David Teague led the Boiler-

makers (7-16, 3-9) with 15 points. The Spartans have won nine of 10 with the only loss in that stretch coming to No. 1 Illinois.

No. 16 Alabama 87. South

Kennedy Winston and Earnest Shelton combined to hit seven three-pointers in the second half for Alabama. Each had three three-pointers in the first 10 min-utes after intermission to ensure the Crimson Tide (21-4, 10-2 Southeastern Conference) wouldn't even come close to becoming another high-profile victim of the Gamecocks

Held to a combined six noints in the first half, Winston finished with 19 and Shelton 16 as Alabama remained unbeaten at home and won for the 10th time in 11 games.

Despite a strong start, the Gamecocks (14-9, 6-6) couldn't duplicate Tuesday night's 73-61 upset of No. 3 Kentucky, their first victory over a ranked opponent in nearly three years. Ala-bama started a 33-8 run in the final 5 minutes of the first half to turn a one-point game into a rout.

No. 21 Oklahoma 69, Kansas St. 68: At Manhattan, Kan., 5-foot-7 Drew Lavender's baseline basket at the buzzer capped a 29-point performance as Oklaho-ma (19-6, 8-4 BIg 12) ended a three-game road losing streak.

Clent Stewart's free throw with 4.5 seconds to go gave Kansas State (13-10, 3-9) a 68-67 lead.

Time expired as Lavender's shot hit the rim, bounced twice each time just missing an Oklahoma player's hands - and fell through to extend the Wildcats' losing streak to six games.

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All-Star Game lacking drama

NBA showcase features little luster to lure in fans this year

The Associated Press

DENVER — A mile above sea level, just a little to the left of America's midsection, the NBA All-Star Game has arrived lacking a clear-cut theme.

It will be LeBron James' first appearance and Shaquille O'Neal's 12th in the league's showcase event, and in between those two on the frequency meter are 22 other well-deserving players

of various shapes and sizes—though there's nary a Nugget to represent the host team, and no compelling story line to reel in the casual fan.

"Whoa, I have no idea. Better ask someone else," Ben Wallace of the Detroit Pistons said when asked to come up with a motif for this year's game.

"I can't come up with something. I don't know," offered Tracy McGrady of the Rockets.

"Kobe against Shaq," opined Yao Ming, who might have forgotten that the feuding superstars already had their first official on-court clash back on Christmas Day.

"How about Yao vs. Shaq?" Yao was asked

in return. After all, those two were teamed on the Western Conference squad the past two years before O'Neal was traded last summer to Miami. This time, O'Neal will be starting for the East and jumping center against Yao when the opening tin one up.

when the opening tip goes up.
"I won't be using all six of my fouls against him," Yao predicted.

This will be the league's 54th All-Star Game and the first time in 21 years it's being held in Denver. It comes dur-

ing a somewhat troubled year, the defining moment of the current season coming on the third Friday of November when Ron Artest and Stephen Jackson of the Pacers charged into the stands and pummeled

Pistons fans as a wild brawl broke out in the final minute of an Indiana-Detroit game.

Two of the principal figures from that troubling night, Indiana's Jermaine O'Neal and

bling night, Indiana's Jermaine O'Neal and Detroit's Wallace, will be teammates on an East squad that will try to break the conference's three-game All-Star losing streak.

Both Jermaine O'Neal and Wallace already have served suspensions stemming from the melee, but both can certainly count on the topic being brought up ad nauseam over the course of the three-day All-Star weekend. "There are a lot of positive things going on

People want to take the negative things to write about," Jermaine O'Neal said last week. "We have good players in this league. We have players that take care of faids who need things in the community, that take care of fainlies that need things, but you don't see that

The NBA is doing what it can to try to steer the focus away from the negative, and there's no shortage of feel-good events — including the Read-to-Achieve Caravan, a Jr.NBA/WNBA Basketball and Books clinic, several hospital visits and the hugely popular Jam Session — taking place throughout the week.

The city will be overrun with fans, sponsors, media, players and hangers on, and the All-Star party scene typically goes strong into the wee hours. With the rookie game held on Friday night for the second straight year, and the three-point shootout and dunk contest taking place Saturday night, the event has morhed into a 72-bour consideration of activity.

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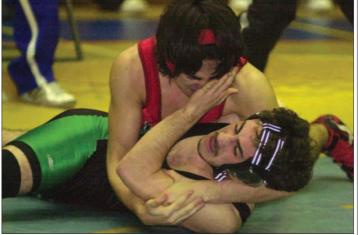


Big Unit gives Boss good impression; Red Sox keep up verbal attacks

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Getting a hold on title



DAVE ORNAUER/Stars and Stripes

Kenji Doughty, top, of Japan's Nile C. Kinnick Red Devils locks up Willie Stroud of Okinawa's Kubasaki Dragons during Saturday's dual-meet championship in the 2005 Far East High School Wrestling Tournament at Capps Gym, Yokota High School, Yokota Air Base, Japana. Doughty pinned Stroud in 3:40, but Kubasaki prevalled over Kinnick in the dual meet 26-26 on pinfall criteria. See story on Page 27.